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ENGLAND WILL NOT HELP

So Newfoundland Must Paddle Her Own Way Out of Her Difficulty.

Accidents to Royalty—German-American Veterans Entertained in the Fatherland.

London, Aug. 30.—In the House of Commons to-day, on the vote of appropriations for colonial service, Mr. Chamberlain, secretary of state for the colonies, replying to Sir Charles Dilke said that he had failed to find any argument which would justify the late government in giving the colony of Newfoundland £50,000. He did not think that the condition of affairs in this colony, after the failure of the banks, amounted to such that the distress and suffering were sufficient to justify this assistance. The distress, he added, arose from a bad administration of the affairs of the colony.

St. Johns, Nfld, Aug. 30.—One of the leading lawyers here gives an authoritative opinion that the shareholders of the Commercial bank are not bound to pay the reserve liability, no provision to that effect being in the Act winding up the bank. The Act has already been found defective, and therefore it is probably so in this case.

The brigantine Energy, from Oporto, reports passing a burning ship on Aug. 17th in lat. 43, 36 N., long 39.11. They could not approach nearer than six miles. About midnight they saw an explosion followed by darkness as if she blew up.

The crew of the French schooner Jacinthe, nineteen all told, which foundered on the Grand banks on Monday; were landed here to-day from the American schooner Emma Wetherel, which rescued them. Several other vessels are also here from the banks in a damaged condition.

London, Aug. 31.—St. Clair McKelway, editor of the Brooklyn Eagle, has a letter in the Times this morning in which he declares that if President Cleveland is again nominated, it will be quite different from any former movement in favor of a third term. It will be the people's act against conspiring politicians.

Brussels, Aug. 31.—The Queen of Belgium, who has been staying at Spa, the Belgian watering place near Liege, has been thrown from her horse while jumping a ditch outside of town. Her majesty fell in the roadway. Her head was cut and she bled freely. She remounted, however, and returned to Spa. She is now confined to bed, though her condition is not though serious.

Berlin, Aug. 31.—The German American veterans arrived here this afternoon, and were met by delegates from thirty different associations, headed by a veteran corps in uniform, and a band of music drawn up in front of the railway station. When the visitors left the train the band played "Deut Schland ueber Alles," and were warmly welcomed by the reception committee. The Americans were presented with laurel wreaths by two ladies of honor, and received an ovation from large crowds of people assembled at the depot.

Biarritz, Aug. 31.—King Alexander, of Servia, nearly lost his life while bathing this morning in the Bay of Biscay. He went swimming with his instructor, and both teacher and pupil were carried off their feet and away from the shore by a strong current which prevails at this fashionable watering place of France. The swimming master was drowned in spite of all efforts made to save him, and King Alexander only reached shore with the greatest difficulty.

A special dispatch from Shanghai says that Tsung Li Yame, of the Chinese foreign office, has instructed the Chinese minister in London to procure the recall of the British ambassador at Peking, Mr. N. R. O'Connor, owing to the latter's menacing attitude in connection with the demands made by Great Britain for the appointment of a commission to inquire into the Ku Cheng massacres.

Brussels, Aug. 30.—The Independence Belge has information that there has been fierce fighting between the forces of the Congo state and the Mahdists, in the district of Adda. Lieut. Cassart and 19 men were killed.

CRISIS AT CONSTANTINOPLE.

The Grand Vizier Resigns and Things are Reported Serious.

Constantinople, Aug. 31.—The situation of affairs is so critical that the Grand Vizier, Said Pasha, has tendered his resignation, saying he declined to remain in office under the present conditions. Said Pasha, Grand Vizier, was reported, on June 23, to have tendered his resignation owing to the Sultan's rejection of some ministerial and administrative changes. The Sultan refused to accept his resignation, but it is stated that a coolness of their relations has since been apparent.

HARDIE IN A DILEMMA.

The Two Factions Quarrel Over Him Like Dogs Over a Bone.

Chicago, Ill., Aug. 31.—When James Kier Hardie, British Socialist, reached the city last evening, he was met by two committees, one representing the radical element of Socialists and the other the Chicago labor congress, which invited him to this country. The radicals were the first to greet Hardie and present him with a large bunch of red roses. The congress committee protested, but in vain. They then hustled the visitor into a carriage and drove him to his hotel. Here a conference was held. Hardie was told that he must not attend the picnic to be held by the radicals Sunday afternoon, and after considerable discussion he promised he would not do so. The radicals held a meeting at which a committee was appointed to wait on Hardie and ask him which party he prefers to deal with. There is considerable discussion and bad feeling here among the representatives of the two factions, and it is feared that it may result in a collision on labor day.

MORE VICTIMS OF THE DEEP.

Steamer Gatherthun Sunk and Most of the Crew Lost.

San Francisco, Cal., Aug. 31.—Australian advices brought by steamer Monowai are to the effect that on the 8th instant the steamer Gattherthun struck on the seal rocks off Sydney, at 2:20 a.m., and sank in 15 minutes. The ship's boats, which landed at Foster, contained 16 of the crew, three Chinese and four white men, among whom was Captain Frazier, the pilot. Other boats containing the captain of the steamer and other officers, are missing. The steamer had 81 souls on board, all told. The accounts are conflicting as to the number saved, which is variously stated at 22 or 25, but the latter is certainly the limit. There was £10,800 in specie on board, £5000 shipped to Adelaide, and the remainder belonged to Chinese passengers.

The kerosene laden ship Hilda was burned and sunk in Port Melbourne on the 9th, and an investigation of the coroner's jury resulted in a finding that the ship had been wilfully fired, and the second mate and watchmen are charged with the crime.

SPAIN SENDS SOLDIERS.

Arrival of a Detachment of Reinforcements at Havana.

Havana, Aug. 31.—Steamer Catalina, having on board 146 Spanish officers, 1200 troops, as well as a battery of artillery, arrived here from Spain to-day. The city and vessels in the harbor were decorated with flags and large crowds of people welcomed the reinforcements.

It is announced in government circles that a lieutenant of infantry named Lobosgrandos, being informed that a number of insurgents had attacked a plantation near Macaguaga, went there with 17 soldiers and encountered a force of 300 insurgents, commanded by Bermudese. After a stubborn fight, the lieutenant was killed, along with the greater number of his soldiers. Three remaining members of the detachment escaped and joined the main body of Spanish troops. The insurgents, it is asserted, retired, and left many dead and wounded on the field.

It is further stated in official circles to-day that a detachment of 200 insurgents recently surprised a guard of soldiers and volunteers who occupied a small fort at Mordazo. The troops are said to have been betrayed by a native officer, who allowed the insurgents to enter the fort. Two civic guards, and one volunteer, it is added, were wounded and a sergeant-corporal and two soldiers of the government forces were also wounded.

The insurgents captured all the arms, ammunition, provisions and medicine in the fort.

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NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

WANTED—Middle-aged woman as housekeeper who understands children, to go to Comox. Apply to John Wilson, steamer Joan to-morrow afternoon or Monday.

TO THE GORGE—Stage leaves for Victoria's favorite resort and picnic grounds every Sunday from the Post Office at 2, 4 and 5.30 p.m. Fare 10 cents 1t

RAFFLE—The raffle for the mare "Dolly" has been postponed until Saturday, the 7th September.

DON'T FORGET to go to Sampson's to-night for something to read. Novels sold for 10 cents each; exchanged for five cents each. au31-1t

NOTICE

The Annual General Meeting of the Stockholders of the Union Colliery Company of British Columbia, Limited Liability, will be held at the office of the Company, in the City of Victoria, on Wednesday, the second day of October next, at 11 a.m.

Dated Victoria, 31st August, 1895.

CHAS. E. POOLEY, Secretary.

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NOTICE

The Annual General Meeting of the shareholders of the Esquimalt and Nanaimo Railway Company will be held at the office of the Company in the City of Victoria, on Wednesday, the second day of October next, at 11 a.m.

Dated Victoria, 31st August, 1895.

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CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH.

Two Sermons will be preached in the Temperance Hall, Pandora St., on Sunday next, September 1st, at 11 a.m. and 7 p.m., by Rev. J. Bushell, Congregational Minister, of Tacoma. A cordial invitation is extended to everybody and to Congregationalists especially. tb-front

THEY WERE TWO OF A KIND

Registrar of the Supreme Court at New Westminster Among the Missing.

He Disappeared on the Same Day as Registrar Prevost—A Similar Case.

New Westminster, B.C., Aug. 31.—W. H. Falding, registrar of the Supreme Court in this city, is missing and a warrant has been issued for his arrest, on the charge of embezzlement. A reward of $250 is offered for his arrest. Falding is charged with embezzling trust funds confided to his charge as registrar of the court, and by a peculiar incident he disappeared on the same day as Prevost from Victoria, both cases being in every way similar. Falding left on Friday the 23rd inst. and said he was going to Victoria, but instead went up the line, and was last seen next day at Kamloops, where he had a ticket for St. Paul, Minn. If he went right through he must have reached there on the 26th, and thus has a big start of the authorities, who did not begin their search until yesterday morning. At first no one would believe that Falding had gone wrong. He was so well known, popular and respected, and in fact his reputation was excellent in every way. He had but one fault, intemperance, being a very hard drinker and frequently under the influence of liquor during business hours. The government officials will not say, and probably do not know yet the amount of his embezzlement, but it is currently reported that he drew from the bank before leaving, all the trust funds payable there to his order, and the amount must have been considerable. His disappearance has caused a painful sensation.

THE CROWN DETERMINED

To Convict in the Hyams Case—Strong Tactics.

Toronto, Aug. 30.—Though the Hyams trial was not to commence till November 6th, the crown officers have already begun to shape out their plan of campaign. These officers are thoroughly convinced of the guilt of the accused men, and no efforts will be spared to convict them, both by crown evidence and the impugnment of the evidence of the defence's witnesses. Another effort will be made by the crown to put in evidence relating to the alleged attempt to insure Mrs. Harry Hyams.

The Attorney-General's department have been at work getting up authorities to prove the admissibility of such evidence. Whether it goes in or not, the crown will oppose the exclusion of the jury during the argument on the point. Thus they will bring the matter indirectly before the jury. The same tactics will be pursued with regard to the evidence of Hyams' past career. To testify concerning which Detective Heidelberg will be again brought from New York. The crown has also had detectives at work inquiring into the religious beliefs of the witnesses for the defence. They have found out that two of them belong to the secular society, and this fact will be brought out in order to impress the jury with the fact that a man who is not of one of the orthodox creeds is not a reliable witness.

To show the determination of the crown to get a conviction, they intend to first try Dicks, who is charged with the murder of his wife to get the insurance, with the object of impressing jurymen in general that the crime of insurance murder is rampant in the land, and thus prejudice them against Hyams.

Wm. McMillan, who was captured in Detroit and brought here on a charge of firing Osgoodby buildings, was to-day committed for trial at the next assizes. Bail was refused.

THE CHOLERA SCARE.

Disease Now Said To Be Prevalent In Honolulu.

San Francisco, Cal., Aug. 31.—The news brought by the Monowai of the breaking out of cholera in Honolulu does not alarm the local health officers. "I do not apprehend any danger from the spreading of the disease to this port," said Dr. Chalmers, "for every precaution will be taken to prevent it from gaining a foothold. The quarantine regulations are strict enough, if carried out; all vessels arriving from Honolulu will be submitted to close inspection."

This is said to be the first time cholera has been known in the Hawaiian Islands. At the time of the Monowai's sailing, it was believed the disease was under control. There have been eight deaths from the disease, and it is said that only two cases remain. These are both in quarantine. Here, with such admirable facilities for quarantining even if cholera should get what might appear to be a foothold, it could be easily stamped out, the health officers say.

THE LOSS OF THE BAWNMORE.

Escape of the Crew—No Hope for the Big Steamer.

Marshfield, Aug. 30.—The British steamship Bawnmore, which went ashore in the fog yesterday, ten miles south of Bandon, lies in about the same position as when she struck. The wreck has settled in the sand to the depth of about twelve feet, and it will be impossible to move her, as she is lying broadside to the sea. Captain Woodside and his crew of 25 men are camped on the beach near the scene of the wreck, and will remain there as long as there is any chance of saving anything. The crew got ashore yesterday in the ship's small boats. The sea was quite calm, and they had no difficulty in reaching shore. The vessel was valued at $125,000 and the cargo at $60,000. There is some insurance on both.

DURRANT JURY COMPLETED.

On Monday the Prosecution Will Make the Opening Argument.

San Francisco, Aug. 30.—The tedious work of completing the jury to try Theodore Durrant for the murder of Blanche Lamont was ended to-day by the acceptance of Samuel E. Dutton, a wholesale stationer, as the twelfth juror. After the information had been read, both sides joined in a request for an adjournment until Monday, promising that there should be no further delays until the completion of the case. The court, after some hesitation, granted the request for an adjournment, giving notice to counsel that he would probably hold court on Saturdays until the testimony in the case is all in.

Monday morning the case will be opened by District-Attorney Barnes. His address is expected to cover the entire case and to marshal all the material points of the prosecution. He had at first intended to ask that two extra jurymen be selected as a reserve, but this idea was abandoned. The difficulty experienced in obtaining twelve jurors and the uncertainty of the constitutionality of the law passed by the last legislature, permitting a jury of 14 in criminal cases, satisfied the district attorney to proceed with the talesmen already secured.

THE MARKET STILL RISING.

Dun's Review Thinks It May Be Too High for Safety.

New York, Aug. 30.—Dun's Review says: The improvement in markets and prices continues, and whereas a few months ago everybody was nursing the faintest hopes of recovery, it has now come to be the only question in what branches, if any, the rise in prices and the increase of business may go too far. A strong conservative feeling is finding expression, not as yet controlling the markets, or industries, but warning against too rapid expansions and rise. In some directions the advance in prices clearly checks future business, but encouraging features have great power; anxieties about the monetary future no longer hinder crop prospects, except for cotton, which have somewhat improved during the week. Important steps toward reorganization of great railroads give hope to investors.

Labor troubles are for the moment less threatening, and some of importance have been definitely settled. The industrial industries are not only doing better than anyone expected, but are counting on a great business for the rest of the year. The demand for dress goods is still large, and some cancellations of orders for men's clothes are posted, because goods do not come up to samples. At the same time receipts from abroad continue heavy, and the outcome is so far in doubt that manufacturers are not buying beyond their natural needs. The prospect for wheat has hardly improved this week, though the price has fallen 1¼ cents. Corn is coming forward more freely, and the September price has declined a quarter with the promise of a great crop, pork and lard a shade lower. Cotton is rising as if there were no surplus of 3,000,000 bales American carried over to the new crop year, which begins with next week. Whether exaggerated or not, reports of injury have impressed traders. As there is not a large supply of actual cotton available at this time, the market price can be easily moved. But if the yield is as short as buyers believe it is not a good sign for business at the south, since the abundance of old cotton in foreign markets must hinder exports at higher prices during the very months in which planters are forced to sell most of their products. Already dispatches indicate that the retail trade at many southern points is slack. The volume of domestic trade is but slightly better than in the previous weeks, exceeding last year's by 18.8 per cent., against 16.3 per cent. for earlier weeks of the month, and falling 8.1 per cent. below 1892, against 9.1 on earlier weeks.

Failures for the week have been 186 in the United States against 196 last year, and 42 in Canada against 40 last year.

Bar silver, 67; Mexican dollars, 53¼; silver certificates, 67 to 67⅝. Closing prices: Sterling exchange, 60 days, 4.89; sterling exchange, demand, 4.90; money 1; Canadian Pacific in London, 56½; C. P. R. in Montreal, 56⅝; Commercial Cable in Montreal, 165½; Montreal street railway, in Montreal, 231½; Montreal street railway, new stock, in Montreal, 212½.

Bradstreets' reports the total bank clearings for the Dominion of Canada were: Montreal, $9,819,427; increase, 6.2. Toronto, $4,678,176; increase, 6.6. Halifax, $1,627,354; decrease, 5.5. Winnipeg, $883,622; increase, 3.1; Hamilton, $498,000; decrease, 3.4. Totals, $16,907,179; increase, 5.6.

Bradstreets' Montreal correspondent reports the volume of general trade small with travellers in many lines not out yet. The Bonaventure and Gaspe fishing industry is unsatisfactory this season. A moderate business is reported from Toronto, with the number of country buyers increasing. Bank clearings at Winnipeg, Halifax, Hamilton, Toronto and Montreal amount to $16,907,000 this week the total was $18,553,000, and one year ago it was $16,078,000.

CHOLERA IS SPREADING.

It is Making Inroads in Shanghai and Elsewhere.

London, Aug. 30.—A Vienna dispatch to the Times reports that the Abend Post says that cholera is spreading rapidly, and has appeared in almost every village in the government of Volhynia, Russia. The peasants are taking refuge in the woods, and the burial of the dead is made in common graves, without funeral rites. No records are being kept of the cases. The disease is most virulent at Semroff.

A dispatch from Shanghai says that it is officially reported that forty deaths from cholera occurred in Peking in August.

PLAYTHINGS OF THE WAVES.

Crew of the Amaranth Safe—Der Wander Founders.

London, Aug. 30.—The British bark Plymouth, Capt. Davidson, from New York for Dunkirk, which passed Prawle point to-day, brings the crew of the German bark Amaranth, Capt. Mauth, which sailed from Savannah July 25, for Gutujewski, and which foundered August 17th. The Amaranth was a vessel of 879 tons, 151.16 feet long, and 33.8 beam and 21.6 feet deep. She was owned at Rostock and was built in 1864.

Philadelphia, Pa., Aug. 30.—The British tank steamer Orange Prince, Capt. Hewitt, which arrived here to-day from Shields, picked up at sea on the 24th inst. the bark Der Wander, from Liverpool for Halifax, which had been recently left by her crew, who afterwards landed at Halifax. Capt. Hewitt decided that the bark was worth saving for the big salvage to be earned, but after towing the derelict for twenty four hours she had to be abandoned, and sank ten minutes after the hawser was let go.

KNIGHTS GOING HOME.

Next Conclave at Pittsburg—The election of Officers.

Boston, Aug. 29.—The dull, gray sky and rain-soaked earth rather discouraged the Knights Templar when they turned out for the day. Black and white plumes and tightly fitting uniform coats gave way to fatigue caps and business suits, and the knights settled down to systematic sight-seeing. Out of town excursionists were as numerous and attractive as yesterday.

The grand encampment met at 10 a. m. and selected Pittsburg as the place of the next conclave, on the second Tuesday of October, 1898. These officers were elected: Grand Master, Warren Larue Thomas, Kentucky; Deputy Grand Commander, Reuben H. Lloyd, San Francisco; Grand Generalissimo, Henry D. Stoddard, Texas; Grand Captain General, George M. Moulton, Illinois Grand Senior Warden, Henry W. Rugg, Rhode Island; Grand Junior Warden, W. B. Melish, Cincinnati; Grand Treasurer, H. Wales Lines, Meriden, Conn.; Grand Recorder, William H. May, St. Louis. The appointment of the grand prelate, grand standard bearer, grand warden and grand captain of guard will take place to-morrow after the installation of the officers elected.

To-night the exodus of Knights began, several commanderies leaving for home. A large number will go to-morrow, but many delegations, especially those from western states, will disband here at the close of the conclave, as a great many of these Knights intend to remain in New England for some weeks.

The glory of the Knights Templar conclave reached a climax to-night when the triennial committee of the grand commanderies of Massachusetts and Rhode Island gave a reception and banquet to Grand Master Hugh McCurdy and the officers and members of the grand encampment at the Hotel Vendome. It was one of the most brilliant social functions ever seen in Boston. The banquetting hall was beautifully decorated with rare flowers, ferns, etc. The guests of honor and the speakers of the evening were seated at a large table in the centre of the room. The first toast was "The Grand Encampment," to which Grand Master McCurdy responded briefly. The second, "Fidelity, an Eminent Characteristic of Templarism," was responded to by Warren Larue Thomas. Several other toasts were responded to.

Rone Not Ayer's at the World's Fair.

Ayer's Sarsaparilla enjoys the extraordinary distinction of having been the only blood purifier allowed an exhibit at the World's fair, Chicago. Manufacturers of other sarsaparillas sought by every means to obtain a showing of their goods, but they were all turned away under the application of the rule forbidding the entry of patent medicines and nostrums. The decision of the World's fair authorities in favor of Ayer's Sarsaparilla was in effect as follows: "Ayer's Sarsaparilla is not a patent medicine. It does not belong to the list of nostrums. It is here on its merits."

When Baby was sick, we gave her Castoria.
When she was a Child, she cried for Castoria.
When she became Miss, she clung to Castoria.
When she had Children, she gave them Castoria.

—New line of pocket cutlery just opened at Fox's, 78 Government street. Shaving outfits a speciality, guaranteed.

ROUND TRIP IN TWO WEEKS.

New York Mails to England Replied to in a Fortnight.

Liverpool, Aug. 30.—The Cunard steamer Etruria, Capt. Walker, from New York for Liverpool, which arrived at Queenstown to-day at 3.29 p.m., made a record voyage of 6 days and 39 miutes. Her best previous record made on January 11th of last year, was six days and one hour. The mails will arrive in London so as to enable replies to be sent by the Lucania, which sails from Liverpool to-morrow, thus giving the return mail to New York under a fortnight.

LIKE RATS IN A TRAP.

Thirteen Miners Drowned Through the Inundation of a Mine.

Denver, Aug. 30.—A special to the News from Central City, Col., says: The accidental flooding of the Americus and Sleepy Hollow mines this afternoon, caused the death, it is believed, of thirteen miners. Every effort is being made to rescue the unfortunate men, but little hope is entertained. A little after 3 o'clock the water in the lower workings of the Fisk mine, east of the main shaft, broke through the old workings of a vein that had not been worked for a numebr of years. Coursing eastward it struck the Americus, where two Italian miners, whose names have not been learned, were at work in the lower part of the shaft. They were both drowned. In its course the water was diverted to the Sleepy Hollow mine, the easterly portion of the Fisk vein. Fourteen men were working in the Sleepy Hollow, three of whom escaped. A courier was sent to the adjacent mines, and all their workmen escaped.

Those in the Sleepy Hollow whose escape was shut off were: N. Vegas, B. Brocken, Bower P. Risk, William P. Risk, Thomas E. Prouse, Thomas Williams, M. Placoni, Thomas Calbis, J. Harris, S. Vallero, John Parks.

The sounding of the whistle gave the first signal of the disaster, and soon the shaft building of the Sleepy Hollow mine was so packed with the families and friends of the imprisoned miners, and the hands to render assistance, that it was almost impossible for the work of attempting a rescue to proceed. Deputy Sheriff Williams finally arrived on the ground, the building was cleared and practical miners offered their services in lowering the bucket. The farthest depth attained was 330 feet, the accummulated gas forced up by the rising water being such that a candle would not burn at a greater depth. A second effort was made, a large-sized safety lamp having been placed in the bucket. The rescuer who first descended in the bucket was H. P. Risk, who went down to the 300 foot level. On reaching the surface he was in an almost insensible condition. Other volunteers went down afterwards, but were not successful in reaching a lower point in the shaft, owing to the rising of the water. Extra water buckets were sent for and brought to the mine. The men are now working with a view of lowering the water. The managers of the properties were on the grounds and were assiduous in their efforts to relieve the men. The two men in the Americus were without doubt drowned. Those in the Sleepy Hollow, unless they can be found in some of the slopes, have met their death in a similar manner.

Ever since the closing down of the pumps in the incline shaft of the New Gregory Mining Company, the waters in that shaft have been rising gradually, and the owners of the Fisk mine have been driven out of the lower levels to the upper workings. This was due to the inability of the owners of the Fisk and Sleepy Hollow to agree on a pro rata division of the expense of the drainage.

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and weak. Fortunately a friend who had used Hood's Sarsaparilla with great benefit, kindly recommended me to try it. I did so and a perfect cure has been effected. I am now as well as I ever was, and I would not be without Hood's Sarsaparilla in my house for anything." Mrs. G. Kent, 240 Manning Ave., Toronto, Ont.

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Those dragging pains in the loins that are a common symptom of kidney trouble are most distressing, but they are only the forerunner of more acute pain, and will develop rapidly if an effective remedy is not applied. No medicine acts on the kidneys with such speediness as South American Kidney Cure. It gives relief in the most distressing cases in a few hours. But it does not stop here. It is a great healer, and its continuous use for a short time completely banishes the disease. It is a cure for kidney trouble, and only it, but it never fails here. Sold by Dean & Cryderman and Hall & Co.

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Tenders received to noon on 10th Sept.

Apply H. J. ROBERTSON,
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WANTED.

Tenders in writing, to be sent to me by 12 o'clock, noon, the 2nd day of September, A. D. 1895, for the purchase of the north halves of Lots 29 and 30 of the west half of section XX, Beckley Farm, Victoria City, (Map No. 134) together with the Dwelling House and Outbuildings thereon. This desirable property will be sold under the power contained in a certain mortgage registered in Charge Book, Vol. II, folio 145, No. 12,945B, to the highest tenderer above the amount of the principal and interest due, together with costs and charges incidental to this sale.

For inspection of titles and all particulars apply to E. M. JOHNSON,
37 Government St.,
Agent for the Mortgagee.
P. O. Address: Box 188. au26-1w

LEGAL NOTICES.

NOTICE.

Take notice that application will be made at the next sitting of the Board of Licensing Commissioners for the City of Victoria, for a transfer of license to sell wines, spirits and other fermented liquors by retail on the premises known as the Bay View Saloon, situate at the corner of Government and Humboldt Streets, Victoria, from the present holder thereof, John Roberts, to Joseph Hazelwood King, of 105 Fisguard Street, Victoria.

Dated the 17th day of July, 1895.

JOHN ROBERTS.
JOSEPH H. KING.
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NOTICE

In the Matter of the Estate of William Reay, late of North Saanich, deceased, Intestate.

All persons who are indebted to the estate of the above named deceased are required to pay the amount of their indebtedness forthwith, and all persons who have claims against the estate are required to forward particulars thereof by the 31st day of August, 1895, to Messrs. Yates & Jay, 22 Bastion Street, Victoria.

Dated the 19th day of August, A. D. 1895.

J. W. REAY,
Administrator.
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LABOR DAY.

NOTICE is hereby given that by virtue of the provisions of an act of the Parliament of Canada (57-58 Victoria, Chap. 55), assented to on the 22nd July, 1894, the first Monday of September is a statutory holiday, designated as "Labor Day," and that therefore the Municipal Offices will be closed on Monday next, the 2nd prox.

JOHN TEAGUE,
Mayor.

Victoria, August 30th, 1895.

THE BRITISH SHIP
"GLENALVON"
(2146 Tons Register,)

Having been substituted for the "Celtic Queen," previously advertised, will sail from Liverpool for Victoria about the middle of October. Cargo may be engaged and further particulars obtained on application to the undersigned.

R. P. RITHET & CO., LTD.

British Ship "Howth"

Will commence loading in Liverpool for Victoria about September 15th, and having the greater part of her cargo engaged will have prompt dispatch. For further particulars apply to

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TERMS REASONABLE.

LEGAL NOTICES.

Land Registry Act.

Lot 3 Block XVI; lot 25, block XVIII, lot 12, block XIX; lots 13 and 24, block XX; lot 17, block XXX; lots 20 and 38, block XXXI; lot 20, block XXXIV lot 1, block XXXV; lot 4, block XXXVII; lots 2 and 20, block XXXIX; the easterly 2-3 of lot 21, block XL; lot 13, block XLVIII; lot 2, block L; lot 7, block LI; part of district lot 185, in the City of Vancouver.

A certificate of indefeasible title to the above lots will be issued to James Charles Prevost, guardian of the estate of Ernest Wilfred Pratt, otherwise known as Ernest Pratt, on the 28th day of September, 1895, unless in the meantime a valid objection thereto be made to me in writing by some person claiming the estate or interest therein or any part thereof.

T. O TOWNLEY,
District Registrar.
Land Registry Office, Vancouver, 24th June, 1895. 3m.

Land Registry Act.

In the Matter of the Application of Peter Steele for a Certificate of Indefeasible Title to the following portions of Sections XXXI and XXXII., Esquimalt District, viz.:

All that piece or parcel of land forming a portion of Section XXXII., Esquimalt District, together known as Lots 20 and 21, according to a survey and plan made by R. Homfray, C. E., and more particularly described as follows: To wit: Commencing at the N. E. corner of said section, thence running westerly along the northern boundary of said section 3-91 links, thence south 475 links, thence easterly to the eastern boundary of said section, 351 links; thence northward along the said boundary to the point of beginning, 562 links.

Also that piece or parcel of land known as Buckley's Orchard, and forming a portion of Section XXXI, Esquimalt District, more particularly described as follows: To wit: Commencing at a point on the northern boundary of the said section 14 feet six inches distant from the N. E. corner of before mentioned Section XXXII., thence running easterly along the said boundary 400 feet, thence southerly and parallel to the eastern boundary of the first above described piece of land 325 feet, thence at right angles west 350 feet, thence north to the point of beginning, 188 feet.

Also all that piece or parcel of land forming another portion of Section XXXI., Esquimalt District, bounded as follows, viz.: On the west by the last described piece of land known as Buckley's Orchard, on the south by a line drawn from the south easterly corner of said last described piece to the Craigflower road and parallel to the northern boundary of the said Section XXXI., to the eastward by the Craigflower road, and to the northward by the northern boundary of said Section XXXI.

NOTICE is hereby given that a certificate of indefeasible title to the above lands will be issued to Peter Steele on the 30th day of September, 1895, unless in the meantime a valid objection thereto be made to me in writing by a person claiming an estate or interest therein or any part thereof.

S. Y. WOOTTON,
Deputy Registrar-General.
Land Registry Office, Victoria, June 24, 1895.

CARPETS! CARPETS!! CARPETS!!!

We have just received a splendid range
—OF—
Brussels, Tapestry and Milton Carpets,
the very latest designs and colorings.
—ALSO—
Hearth Rugs, Door Mats,
etc., to Match.

NOTE—You cannot do better than select from our extensive stock. Every one can see something that will suit both their pocket and taste.

WEILER BROS,
51 to 55 Fort Street.

IN LAVA LANDS.

Notes of the Excursion to Hawaii, by Miss Cameron.

BERNICE BISHOP MUSEUM—II.

At either side of the museum entrance stands a surf board, twenty feet in length. These boards much resemble a giant coffin lid and are beautifully smooth to obviate friction. The wood most in vogue for this use is of the bread fruit tree, and the name given to the finished contrivance is papa-he-nalu, or "billow-cresting board." This sport of wave gliding requires a quick eye and an iron nerve. The men swim out from shore half a mile or more, choose the very biggest breaker upon which they jump from behind, lying on their boards face downward until they get their balance. The more daring and expert riders kneel or stand upon the boards as they are carried along at the fearful rate of a mile a minute nigh upon the topmost crest of the billow, ever seeming on the point of being engulfed yet always maintaining their equilibrium by a nicety of poise which holds the spectator breathless. The amusement is indulged in by the natives of all ages; small boys laughing and joking ride side by side with patriarchs of three score, the bearing of these old men of the sea seeming majestically to proclaim that the ocean is their element.

But to return to the museum—at its entrance is a sunken metal plate inscribed "To the Memory of Bernice Pauahi Bishop, Founder of the Kamehameha schools. A bright light among her people, her usefulness survives her earthly life." Under the inscription is an ancient image which once guarded the enclosure of a temple and which to our eyes might well proclaim itself cousin to a Cowichan totem-pole.

Having exhausted the kahilis, we had the privilege of examining those wonders of native skill and patience, the ahuulas or feather robes. These represent the perfection of a lost art and are of priceless value; the feather robe buried with King Lunalilli could not with the aid of all our modern machinery be reproduced for one hundred thousand dollars.

We were told that in this museum was the only collection of these capes extant, that even the British museum had not one properly representative garment of this kind; so as it was the chance of a lifetime we carefully examined the ahuulas before us. They are gorgeous and most richly wrought in the most vivid of colors. As we looked at them we tried to conjure up some scene of the long-ago before the advent of sugar mills and society of missionaries and Mongols. We place the scene on a mountain side on a dark night and light it dimly with gleams from the crater and wait to see from the groups of rich brown figures, a noble form step forth, erect, majestic. In his right hand he grasps a spear and across his shoulders he carried with kingly grace the very cloak which now so tamely ticketed and duly catalogued, we gaze upon.

These ornamental feather robes vary in size from a small shoulder cape to long cloaks. The simple form of the cape permitted additions to its length from time to time, and all the large cloaks show bands of different web, reminding one of a tree's rings of growth. The colors are of tropic richness, but the patterns show that poverty of design which we would expect from an untutored race.

From feather cloaks to cloth "by the piece" is but a step. So we "pass on to the next counter" and inspect kapa cloth, the making of which is now another lost art, although less than twenty-five years ago the beaters of kapas were still at work in the Hawaiian valleys, and the cheerful sounds of their work might be heard in every country district. The manufacture of this bark cloth was the work of women exclusively, as poi pounding belonged to the men. "The mothers in Israel" furnished clothing, while the fathers of the tribe found food for the family, a fair division of labor. No loom or complicated machinery was needed in this primitive art. A lot of kolea wood, six feet long was provided, a variety of hand clubs and calabashes to hold the water for moistening. The raw material was Broussonetia or paper mulberry, or rather the bark of this shrub taken off in six feet lengths. These strips were alternately dried, moistened and beaten until the fibres became welded together in a kind soft pulp which was then judiciously pulled out to the required thickness and left for its final hardening. We were told that it generally took four days to beat an ordinary sheet of kapa. So we consider that the "Delineator" and the dress maker would have to be consulted after that, we will readily concede that the Hawaiian belle would have to begin calculations for her new spring suit many days before the date of the special garden-fete where it was to make its first appearance. I forgot to explain that roots, leaves, the barks of various plants and trees contributed dye-stuffs which were added to the mixture when in its pulpy state. The colors which seemed to find highest favor in aboriginal eyes were yellow, red, green and various shades of brown and gray.

From kapa cloth we pass on to native mats, which take no unimportant place in historical associations. In the Hawaiian dwelling of the better class, the floor is paved with small stones covered with layers of mats; mats are also used as sails. In old times tribute was paid in mats, and they formed no inconsiderable portion of a man's wealth.

The first mats are made from the stems of Makaloa, and as they can be plaited only while the sedge is young, the time for working at this industry is limited to a few months of each year. It is concluded that the large mats which we saw must have been in the hands of the makers half a dozen years or more.

Near Honolulu are very, very few of the ancient grass covered houses the models of which we were able to carefully study in the museum. They look very much like overgown hay stacks, and Honolulu in its native state as looked down upon from the Punchbowl or the Pali must have closely resembled a wide-spreading harvest field. Inside these primitive houses was little furniture. They were a simple people, these native Hawaiians, their wants were few—half a dozen calabashes, some dishes for holding fish, a water bottle or two, with here and there an odd roll of kapa cloth or spare mats fill out the round of their desires. Spring cleaning or "moving" with them had no terrors. Of household implements the Calabash (with a capital "C" takes first place. It is everywhere apparent. The Hawaiians know not the art of pottery, as I found out to my disappointment. A lady friend in Victoria had entrusted me with a commission to bring her back from the islands "a dear little tea-pot like the natives use," but a poi calabash was the nearest approach to it that I secured. This substitute for bowls is the immense Curcubita maxima, the most useful of gourds with a hard, woody rind, light and durable. A pair of these gourds suspended Chinaman fashion from a shoulder stick made a fine pair of travelling trunks, one containing food and the other clothing.

Hewn bowls from solid wood are used in all native feasts for finger bowls, the sticky nature of the poi making them quite necessary; when I add that fragrant leaves take the place of table napkins. It will be inferred that these people do not quite neglect the luxuries of the modern table.

AGNES DEANS CAMERON.

MORE NEWS FROM CUBA.

Maximo Gomez Attacks Puerto Principe—Campos' Movements.

Tampa, Fla., Aug. 30.—Passengers arriving from Cuba on the steamer tonight report that Gomez attacked Puerto Principe on Monday, burning Caridad, one entire ward. The Matanzas province is greatly disturbed. Three hundred men are out near Cardenas. A band of 1000 men has risen in Jovellanes. News reached Havana Wednesday that a section of volunteers from Cabanas is in pursuit.

At Tamasceuso, in Santa Espiritu district, fifty civil guards surrendered their arms and ammunition to Gen. Roloff.

Last Friday at Calabaza, province of Santa Clara, Capt. Julio Domingues, with 200 Spanish volunteers, joined the insurgents, and a detachment of firemen from Havana reached Remedios, also joining the insurgents.

Campos' headquarters have been established at Santa Clara, where his forces are concentrated to protect the plantations in Las Villas. He has pledged protection to the sugar manufacturers. It is said Campos will withdraw his troops from the Santiago district, which is now in the hands of the provisional government.

Dr. Joaquin Castillo, who was chosen vice president, was a physician on the Jeanette relief expedition.

Havana, Aug. 29.—The reports recently published in reference to a pretended letter from Gen. Campos relative to the great proportions assumed by the rebellion in Cuba, and the proposition of establishment of autonomy for the islands, are pronounced in government circles as entirely false. Gen Campos has not written any letter to the Spanish consul at Jamaica, it is claimed, nor to any one else, concerning the project of autonomy and the progress of the troubles in Cuba.

The merchants of Havana are preparing for a public demonstration on the occasion of the arrival of the troops from Spain. Boats decorated with flags and banners, and carrying bands of music, will meet the steamer conveying the Spanish troops outside the harbor. The city will be gaily decorated with flags and brilliantly illuminated. Public officials say they are more confident than ever that Gen. Campos will be soon able to bring about an era of peace and good feeling in Cuba.

Merida, Yucatan, Aug. 29.—Cubans here are actively aiding the patriots at home. It is reported that a fresh expedition will start from some point on the Central American coast for Cuba.

More Kind Words from Hamilton Regarding the Great Remedy Which Cures Rheumatism in One to Three Days.

Mrs. Phillips, sr., corner Hunter and Grath streets, Hamilton: "Several months ago I was afflicted with rheumatism, which completely crippled me. South American Rheumatic Cure being recommended to me, I procured a bottle and obtained perfect relief from the first few doses. It is without doubt the quickest relief for rheumatism I have ever seen, and I heartily recommend it to all sufferers from this disease." Sold by Dean & Cryderman and Hall & Co.

THE RED FLAG IN CHICAGO.

To Be Unfurled When Kier Hardie and John Swinerton Speak.

Chicago, Aug. 30.—Upon the arrival in Chicago of Kier Hardie, the English socialist, it is said an attempt will be made to unfurl the red flag. The socialists have the flag ready, and say that they will fly it at the big open air demonstration Sunday, at which Kier Hardie and John Swinerton are to be present as guests and speakers. The Sunday demonstration is projected by the socialistic party for the purpose of opening the fall campaign for the election of the drainage board.

Inspector Fitzpatrick, in speaking of the matter, said: "The socialists will not be allowed to unfurl any purely red flag on the streets, and I doubt if they will be allowed to unfurl it at the grove. The socialists have not applied for a permit to march, and without such authority from the city they could not march at all. If they apply for a permit the red flag business will be settled then and there. The exact attitude of the police, however, will have to be governed by the instructions of the mayor and the chief of police.

New York, Aug. 29.—Before leaving for the west, Kier Hardie, the English socialist, and his colleague and co-worker, Frank Smith, called at the office of the general executive board of the United Garment Workers' Association. Mr. Hardie told General Secretary Reichers that he found the condition of the East Side sweat shops much better than that of the shops in London. Mr. Reichers told him this condition was due to persistent agitation and strikes. Mr. Hardie said it was his intention to call at the offices of all of the big labor organizations in his tour through the country. "I want to see how they run things," he said. "I think the garment workers are doing excellent work. What the labor organizations need are the same business methods that capitalists use. After the labor organization has been perfected, a socialist party can be made of it. The socialistic and trade union movements go hand in hand."

The best is what you want when you are in need of medicine. That is why you should insist upon Hood's Sarsaparilla.

—The fruit season is not over yet. If you are wanting fruit jars, or any preserving utensils, you can get all you want at Weiler Bros.

—Errors in diet corrected by the use of Adams' Tutti Frutti. See that Tutti Frutti is on each five cent package.

COMMERCIAL BANK SCANDAL.

Lawyers Say the Shareholders are Not Liable for the Last Call.

St. Johns, Nfd., Aug. 30.—The trustees of the Commercial bank have made a call upon the shareholders for the full reserve liability on the shares, which amounts to $2000 on each share. Some of the leading lawyers say that the shareholders are not liable to the trustees, and that the latter cannot enforce the call. It is further contended that the call was made without the direction of the Supreme Court, and consequently will have to be revoked. The matter is certain to be prolific of boundless litigation.

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NOTICE

Birdcage Walk, between Belleville and Superior Streets, is closed to public traffic.

E. A. WILMOT,
City Engineer.

Victoria, Aug. 8th.—tf

APPLICATIONS

will be received at the Secretary's office of the Board of School Trustees for the position of janitor at the Victoria West school.

Particulars as to duties and salary upon application.

All applications must be in by Friday at 12 o'clock.

Victoria, Aug. 28, 1895. aug28-3t

NOTICE.

Take notice that at the next sitting of the Board of Licensing Commissioners as a Licensing Court, in and for the City of Victoria, I intend to apply for a transfer of my retail liquor license for the "Nickel Plate" Saloon, Government Street, to Mr. Jacob Hasenfratz, of this city, to be held with respect to the same saloon.

Dated Victoria, B.C., the 2nd August, 1895.

JOHN P. SCHMIDT.

If you are feeling run down, don't take medicine, but NOURISHMENT.

Johnston's Fluid Beef

Strengthens—Use it.

MUNICIPAL

NO. 240.

A BY-LAW

To Amend the Ross Bay Cemetery By-Law.

Whereas it is expedient to amend the Ross Bay Cemetery By-Law, 1894;

Therefore the Municipal Council of the City of Victoria enacts as follows:

1. Section 45 of the Ross Bay Cemetery By-Law, 1894, and the forms "C" and "D" in the said section referred to, and contained in the schedule to the said By-Law, are hereby repealed, and the said By-Law shall in all other respects remain in force and be read as if the said section 45 and the said forms "C" and "D" therein referred to had not originally been inserted in the said By-Law.

2. The following Section shall be inserted in lieu of Section 45 so repealed in said By-Law:

"45. Every application for permission to inter the body of any person shall be accompanied by a certificate of a duly qualified medical practitioner setting forth clearly his opinion as to the cause of death."

3. This By-Law may be cited as the Ross Bay Cemetery By-Law, 1894, Amendment By-Law, 1895.

Passed the Municipal Council the 15th day of August, 1895.

Reconsidered, adopted and finally passed the Council the 19th day of August, 1895.

(L.S) JOHN TEAGUE,
Mayor.

WELLINGTON J. DOWLER, C.M.C.

NOTICE.

The above is a true copy of a by-law passed by the Municipal Council of the City of Victoria, on the 19th day of August, A. D. 1895, and all persons are hereby required to take notice that anyone desirous of applying to have such by-law, or any part thereof, quashed, must make his application for that purpose to the Supreme Court within one month next after the publication of this by-law in the British Columbia Gazette, or he will be too late to be heard in that behalf.

WELLINGTON J. DOWLER, C.M.C.

Proposed Local Improvement.

Notice is hereby given that under and by virtue of the Municipal Act, 1892, and Amending Acts, and By-laws made thereunder, the Corporation of the City of Victoria propose to lay a pavement of wooden blocks upon a concrete foundation on the streets or portions of streets particularly hereunder mentioned, in the City of Victoria, and to assess the cost thereof against the property fronting thereon.

STREETS OR PORTIONS THEREOF PROPOSED SO TO BE PAVED.

View Street, from Broad Street to Douglas Street;

Broad Street, from Fort Street to Yates Street;

Government Street, from Broughton Street to Johnson Street;

Yates Street, from Douglas Street to Wharf Street;

Fort Street, from Government Street to Douglas Street.

ASSESSMENT PROPOSED TO BE LEVIED THEREFOR.

View Street, $7.00 per foot frontage;
Broad Street, $8.00 per foot frontage.
Government Street, $10.50 per foot frontage;
Yates Street, $10.50 per foot frontage;
Fort Street, $11.50 per foot frontage;

divided into ten equal annual payments of interest and sinking fund.

The report of the City Engineer and City Assessor in connection with such proposed improvement and the assessment therefor upon particular lots is open for the inspection of any person at the office of the Assessor, City Hall.

Unless a Petition against such assessment by the owners of the real property, (fronting upon the streets or portions thereof proposed to be so improved), representing at least one half in value thereof, be sent to the said Council within fifteen days after publication of this notice such proposed improvement will be made as aforesaid.

By order,

WELLINGTON J. DOWLER,
C. M. C.

Victoria, B. C., 21st August, 1895.

NOTICE

Pandora street between Douglas and Blanchard street is closed to public traffic.

E. A. WILMOT,
City Engineer.

July 9, 1895.

MUNICIPAL.

NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given that King's Road, between First St. and School alley is closed until further notice.

E. A. WILMOT,
City Engineer.

Victoria, Aug. 28, 1895. au2

NOTICE

Menzies Street, between Belleville Street and Superior Street is closed to public traffic.

E. A. WILMOT,
City Engineer.

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NOTICE

Belleville Street, between McClure Street and Menzies Street, is closed to Public Traffic.

E. A. WILMOT,
City Engineer.

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NOTICE.

Birdcage Walk, between Michigan Street and the east entrance of the Government grounds, is closed to public traffic.

E. A. WILMOT,
City Engineer.

Victoria, Aug. 29, 1895. au29-tf

$25.00 REWARD.

The above reward is hereby offered for such information as shall lead to the arrest and conviction of any person or persons tampering or interfering in any way with any manhole, ventilator, flush tank, or other part of the sewerage system of the City of Victoria, or causing any impediment or obstruction to the proper and effective operation of any portion of the said system, except when acting under instructions from the City Engineer or Sanitary Officer.

By order,

WELLINGTON J. DOWLER,
C. M. C.

Victoria, B.C., August 1st, 1895.

$10 REWARD.

The above mentioned reward is hereby offered for such information as will lead to the conviction of any person or persons breaking the glass of the window of any unoccupied house or other, in the City of Victoria, or damaging in any way any portion thereof, or of the premises appertaining thereto, or removing therefrom any article belonging to the said premises, or defacing injuring or destroying any street sign or other property belonging to the Corporation of the City of Victoria.

By order,

WELLINGTON J. DOWLER,
C.M.C.

Victoria, B.C., March 20th, 1895.

Notice to Water Consumers.

The attention of consumers of water supplied from the City Water Works is hereby drawn to Sections 12, 20, and 23 of The Water Works Regulation By-Law, 1894, which provides that from the 15th day of April to the 15th day of September, both inclusive, in each year, no consumer of water of the said water works shall use such water for irrigating except on the respective days hereinafter mentioned, namely:

In the North Ward on Mondays and Thursdays.
In the Central Ward on Tuesdays and Fridays.
In the South Ward on Wednesdays and Saturdays.

If water is used for watering lawns or gardens at other than the time hereinbefore mentioned the water will be turned off, and there shall be charged in addition to ordinary rates the sum of fifty cents for each infraction.

The above penalties will be strictly enforced.

JAS. L. RAYMUR,
Water Commissioner.

Water Commissioner's Office,
11th May, 1895. m17

Notice in Respect to Thistles.

The attention of persons interested is hereby drawn to sections 3 and 5 of the Consolidated Thistle By-Law, which read as follows, viz.:

"3. Every owner, lessee, tenant, occupier, or agent for the owner or lessee, of any land, shall cut or cause to be cut down, all thistles growing upon such land before such thistles have gone to seed or come to flower."

"4. Every person convicted of an infraction of the by-law shall forfeit and pay a penalty not exceeding twenty dollars."

The said persons are also respectfully informed that this is the only notification they will receive in regard to this matter.

By order,

WELLINGTON J. DOWLER,
C. M. C.

Victoria, B. C., June 25th, 1895.

ARCHITECTS.

JNO. TEAGUE, ARCHITECT.
Has removed to new offices corner of Broad street and Trounce avenue.

VETERINARY.

S. F. TOLMIE, VETERINARY SURGEON,
Graduate Ont. Vet. Col., Member Ont. Vet. Med. Soc. (Late with Dr. John Woods, F.R.S., Buffalo, N.Y.) Office at Bray's Livery, 108 Johnson Street. Telephone 182; residence telephone 417, Victoria, B.C.

SCAVENGERS.

PETER HANSEN, CITY SCAVENGER. Yards and cesspools cleaned by contract or monthly. Prompt attention given to all orders, and prices reasonable. Orders left at Dixi Ross & Co.'s and Robert Porter's, Island Market, Johnson and Douglas streets. Residence, Discovery street, between Government and Douglas. Telephone 184.

JULIUS WEST, GENERAL SCAVENGER, successor to John Dougherty. Yards and cesspools cleaned, contracts made for removing earth, etc. All orders left with Jas. Fell & Co., Fort street, grocers; Cochrane & Munn, corner Yates and Douglas streets, will be promptly attended to. Residence, 50 Vancouver St.

SOCIETIES.

B. C. PIONEER SOCIETY.
The Hall of the above society in Musgrave Block, Broad street, is open daily from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m., for the convenience of the Pioneers and their friends, who are cordially invited to visit the rooms.

VANCOUVER & QUADRA LODGE, No. 1, A. F. & A. M., B.C.R. Regular communication the third Wednesday in each month, at Masonic Temple, corner Douglas and Fisguard streets. Sojourning brethren cordially invited. LOFTUS BROWN, secretary.

ST. ANDREW'S AND CALEDONIAN society meets in their own Hall, Blanchard street, on the first Friday of every month. All Scotchmen are invited to join.
E. C. SMITH, Sec.

MISCELLANEOUS.

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For protecting the eyes from bright light and dust from 35 cents to $2.50.
SEE OUR PERFECTED GROUND
Smoke Glasses, the finest produced for weak and sensitive eyes.
F. W. NOLTE & CO.,
The Only Opticians, 37 Fort street

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FOR SALE—A six-roomed cottage and lot. House fitted with all modern improvements, electric light and bells, hot and cold water, fine garden and shrubs, concrete walks around the house. Price $2,900; $1,100 cash. Owner leaving the city. Call and inspect the premises. No. 8 Stanley Avenue. au28-4t

FOR SALE—A cheap farm on the banks of the Kokshiah river, consisting of 100 acres; about nine acres cleared; dwelling house, chicken house, barn and sheds; about 3 1-2 miles from McPherson's station; in order to effect a sale price reduced to $1,000. A. W. More & Co., Real Estate Agents, 70 Douglas street.

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WANTS.

AGENTS, we have positively the best sellers ever offered; all are household articles of genuine merit; in order that our territory and catalogues may not fall into the hands of children or unreliable parties, we require six cents in stamps to be sent, upon receipt of which we will mail 32-page catalogue with blank application for territory; postal cards not answered. U. S. Specialty Co., Toronto. jy31-3m-w&s

WANTED—Reliable Girl; wages $12. per month. "Summerdyne," Oak Bay Avenue. au29-3t

WANTED—A Girl or Middle-aged Woman, for general house work. Apply 178 Yates Street. au29-tf

WANTED—Furnished cottage, by reliable party, no children; state locality and rent. Address A. H., Times office. aug27-1w

WANTED—An honest, active gentleman or lady to travel for reliable established house; salary $780, payable $15 weekly, and expenses; situation permanent; references; enclose self-addressed stamped envelope. The Dominion Company, 316 Omaha Building, Chicago. aug15-30t

WANTED—Cash customers to buy tools of all kinds. Shore's hardware, 57 Johnson street.

WANTED HELP—Reliable men in every locality (local or travelling) to introduce a new discovery and keep our show cards tacked up on trees, fences and bridges throughout town and country. Steady employment. Commission or salary $65 per month and expenses, and money deposited in any bank when started. For particulars write The World Med. Electric Co., P.O Box 221, London, Ont., Canada. je17-3m-d&w

TO LET.

TO LET, LEASE OR SELL—The Alderica Hotel at Duncan's Station, furnished and in full running order. Apply on the premises to the owner, W. Beaumont. 17-1m

TO LET.—Pretty cottage, five rooms and bath. Apply to Skene Lowe, 45 Carr St. may27-tf

LOST OR FOUND.

LOST—An Irish terrier dog; smooth haired. Any one returning same to 39 Bastion street will be rewarded. aug.27-1w

JOSHUA DAVIES
AUCTIONEER,
Room 7, - Board of Trade Building.

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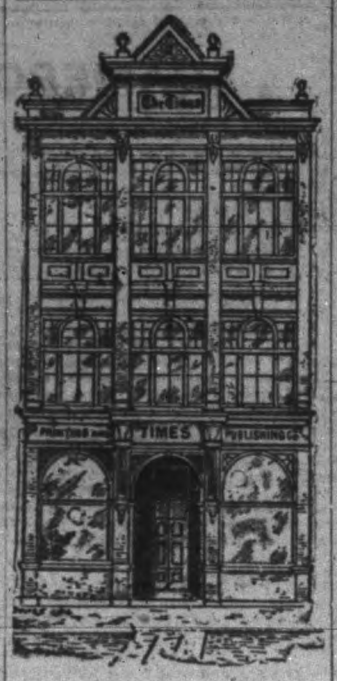

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MANITOBA SCHOOL QUESTION

There has been much talk about a conference to be held between Premier Bowell and Premier Greenway over the Manitoba school question, the report that such a conference was to be held having been started by the Calgary Tribune when Sir Mackenzie was in Calgary district. The circumstance is significant enough, and it is not strange that the Tribune's article should be regarded by many as "inspired." This impression is confirmed by hints which Premier Bowell threw out in a Tribune interview. The gist of the Tribune's article is given in a dispatch as follows:—

"If such a conference proved a failure, the Dominion government could probably infer therefrom how to frame a remedial bill to be the least offensive to Manitoba. In any event positive benefit may accrue, in view of the fact that Laurier is not desirous of making the matter a political one, and Conservatives are of the same mind. The article says the matter might be settled regardless of intrinsic considerations. It then points out that between the terms of the privy council decision and the Greenway government's legislation there is ample room for a compromise which will be satisfactory to Roman Catholics, secure efficiency in all the schools, and still not impair the Greenway government's prestige. It advances a number of reasons why for tactical purposes Greenway should embrace the opportunity of settling the matter by a conference, if one is made, and states that if he resolutely closes his eyes to every opportunity of a reasonable settlement, a vast number of Canadians, regardless of race or religion, and love for the principle of national schools, will themselves support the Dominion government in the extremest measures if necessary to defend the constitution against the unreasonable assaults of a refractory province. It thinks Sir John Schultz would be justified in taking steps to bring about such a conference, that his efforts would be welcomed by both governments, and that even if he failed his attempts would be condoned by the people of Canada. The article concludes with the prediction that the school question will be settled in Winnipeg in a few weeks, and that a special session being unnecessary, the government will go to the country about October, making the tariff the chief issue, incidentally taking credit in Quebec for resolution, and for moderation in settlement of the question. There appears to be no doubt in the event of a failure of such a conference, the premier is determined on resolute measures in regard to remedial legislation."

It would be a good thing if a conference between the premiers should end this dispute and remove the school question from the place it now occupies as a disturbing factor. But as a preliminary to any successful conference the "remedial order" would need to be withdrawn, for the Manitoba people are naturally averse to negotiation with a threat hanging over their heads. The Manitoba papers speak decidely on this point. Referring to the Calgary Tribune's article the Winnipeg Tribune says:—

"Sir Mackenzie Bowell defending the constitution against "a refractory province" is a very sorry fancy. It suggests at once the fable of the wolf and the lamb. The scribbler evidently forgot that the highest authority has declared that, in putting herself in her present position, Manitoba was acting strictly with in her constitutional rights. Sir Mackenzie and his associates, for sordid reasons, have endeavored to bully Manitoba out of those rights, and we think when the time comes these statesmen will find that a "vast number of Canadians," outside of Manitoba, have made up their minds that he shall not do so. It is about time that this childish wire-pulling and stupid "diplomacy" should cease. If Sir Mackenzie Bowell wishes to withdraw his remedial order, and go into the facts and merits of the dispute, it would seem reasonable that the Manitoba government should assist at a conference or investigation, which it has already expressed its willingness to do. If, however, he proposes to negotiate with Manitoba on the basis that Manitoba will concede something to avoid being deprived of its constitutional rights, he had better proceed which is remedial legislation."

The Free Press speaks more moderately but with equal decision. In an article in its latest issue to hand the following remarks, dealing with the whole question, appear:—

"There can be no question that some misapprehension exists among people in the eastern provinces as to Manitoba's attitude on the school question. In the minds of many the school question is regarded as the outcome of an anti-Catholic crusade. From the attitude taken, both in Quebec by the Catholics there and in Ontario by those who may be styled anti-Catholics, one is driven to this conclusion. Nothing can be further from the fact. Manitoba passed legislation with the object of bringing all the schools within the bounds of the province under one management. The avowed purpose of this was to insure uniformity of aim in the teaching of all the schools and equality of opportunity to the children of all creeds to secure a good common school education. The purpose of doing injustice to any part of the population was disavowed again and again by the authors of the legislation. The Catholic population, however, complained that an injustice was done them in the matter and after five years of litigation the decision of the Privy Council declared that there was a grievance.

"Up to this point Manitoba was the defendant in a case where her own legislation on education was in question. The only position open to her was to defend her action with vigor, and this she did. Her uncompromising and vigorous defence was doubtless interpreted in many quarters as the evidence of an inveterate hatred of Catholics; hence the indignation excited amongst eastern Catholic sympathizers and the earnest approval of those with opposite sympathies. These feelings in the east are acknowledged to have outrun any similar feelings on the subject exhibited here. The reason is that Manitobans as a whole look at the matter from a different and more reasonable standpoint.

Having, as before stated, arrived at the end of the period of defence, and a decision having been given by the Privy Council, what should the next step be? The remedial order? We cannot conceive of anything more ill-advised or less likely to accomplish a practical result. Manitoba has not refused to consider the grievance of her Catholic citizens. No opportunity was given her of doing so; but an order was issued by the Dominion government in more peremptory terms than had ever previously been used to a province of Canada. Further than this, the order specified concessions to be made more radical in their nature than the minority were willing to accept. Manitoba declines to accept this remedial order, and her people would not permit its government to do otherwise.

"This remedial order was based upon a misapprehension of the Dominion government of the attitude of Manitoba. It will be fortunate if the Dominion politicians have an opportunity of rectifying from actual intercourse with Manitobans that they are entitled as well as to be trusted to manage their educational affairs without fear of leaving any well grounded grievances unredressed.

The following paragraph from the Midway Advance should add a little to the information of those who are earnestly considering the question why coast merchants do not secure more of the coast trade:—

"Among the visitors here last week were Mr. MacIntosh, and Mr. Graham, manager of the Hudson's Bay Company, both of Kamloops, and Mr. G. A. Henderson, of the Bank of Montreal, Vernon. Messrs. Graham and MacInrosh had not travelled in these parts before, and they were greatly taken with the country. Mr. Graham thought that the merchants on the coast should make more effort to secure our trade, but when he was informed that the freight rates of the C. P. R. have hitherto made it cheaper for us to deal with Spokane, paying duty and carriage on the S. & N. railway, he was naturally taken aback and promised to represent the state of affairs to Mr. McL. Brown and Mr. Marpole of the C. P. R. in a very strong light.

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RUMORED CHANGE.

Report That the Hon. Mr. Justice Crease is to be Allowed to Retire.

It is understod that arrangements are being perfected between the Honorable Mr. Justice Crease and the Federal Government whereby Hon. Mr. Crease will be allowed to retire from the Supreme Court bench, receiving substantial recognition from the Dominion government for his long services to the country. In this connection it is also stated that the position has been offered to Mr. A. J. McColl, Q.C., of New Westminster, who has accepted, and G. E. Corbould, M.P., had declined the position.

THE COBBLE HILL MEETING.

To the Editor:—I notice a report of a meeting held at Cobble Hill on Aug. 22, called by Mr. R. B. Halhed, and hope you will allow me to correct a few of the many errors in the same. Your reporter should have credited Mr. Rogers with saying: "It was wrong politically to add Alberni to Cowichan district," instead of Mr. Halhed. Your reporter has it: "He (Mr. Halhed) thought we had best take care of ourselves, and the devil take the hindmost." Mr. Halhed said: "I am not a professional politician, but judging from recent events, it seems, when men are elected it is every man for himself and the devil take the hindmost." Your reporter should have said that Mr. Rogers, after referring to Mr. Turner's long stay in London, took us on an imaginary trip over the British Pacific railway, landing us at the Hudson's Bay, which he supposed would be the terminus, as he had not heard of its being extended further east, and he expected it (the Hudson's Bay railway) would soon be built, as he understood it had been subsidized by the Dominion government this year. Mr. F. W. Garnett said if it was to be the terminus he was afraid it was further in the future than the much talked of British Pacific railway. As he understood it, some years ago the government had agreed to pay one Sutherland an annual subsidy of some $180,000 for operating the H. B. railway after it was built. At that time there was some forty miles of the road built, which has since been abandoned. This year the same people started work on another route some 80 miles from the first, and asked the government for a lump sum for building the road instead of the annual subsidy. The lump sum amounted to some $14,000 per mile, and as the C. P. R. people offered to build it for the government for several thousand dollars less per mile, the deal was evidently declared off; as he had noticed nothing since in reference to it. Your reporter said that Mr. Rogers said if he should enter the contest, Mr. Halhed would find him rather a formidable opponent. This with Mr. Halhed's reply must have been whispered in his ear, as I don't think any one else heard it. He (your reporter), seems to wish to convey the idea that there was a difference of opinion at the meeting as to who should be our candidate. The fact is, there was not one word spoken at the meeting in favor of anyone else coming into the field, except by the chairman, who asked Mr. Rogers if it was his intention to come out as a candidate, and who seemed very anxious to bring another party into the field. ZIP.

Cobble Hill, Aug. 30.

GREEK JUSTICE.

Loss of an Arm More Serious than Loss of a Husband.

A curious judgment was pronounced the other day by a judge in a court of law at Volisso, in the island of Scio. An action for damages was brought by two persons against the local railway company, for loss sustained by a collision. It appeared that a man had lost an arm, and a young woman had been deprived of her husband. The judge, a Greek, assessed the damages thus: He gave 6,000 piastres to the man for the loss of his arm, and 2,000 to the woman for the loss of her husband. At this there was loud murmurs, whereupon the judge gave his reasons in these terms: "My dear people, my verdict must remain; for you will see it is a just one. Poor Nikola has lost his arm, and nothing on earth can restore that priceless limb. But you, (turning to the woman), you are still young and pretty. You now have some money; you will easily find another husband who possibly may be as good, perhaps better, than your dead lord. That is my verdict, my people. And so it must go forth." So saying the Judge left the hall. The people cheered him and congratulated themselves on having such a judge.

ALMOST BACK TO LIFE.

Using Hot Water to Resuscitate Those Apparently Dead.

At Heffron's undertaking parlors an effort was made yesterday to bring back to life Louis Fisher, aged nine years, who was drowned in the lake on the previous afternoon.

Dr. Whitney, a physician living on Wilson avenue, claims that he himself was drowned at one period of his life, and after being dead more than an hour, animation was, by a certain method, restored. Dr. Whitney has for some time desired to put this process to another test, but never availed himself of the opportunity until yesterday. His theory is that a corpse can be resuscitated, providing there are no internal injuries, by placing the entire body except the eyes, nose and mouth in a bath of water heated to a constant temperature of 110 degrees Fahrenheit, and leaving it there for at least five hours. An ordinary bath tub was used yesterday. When the water had reached the proper temperature Dr. Whitney and his assistants carefully deposited the body in the tub. It was then about 11 o'clock in the morning and from that time until 4 o'clock, when the experiment was given up, the condition of the corpse was studiously watched by Dr. Whitney. Although the experiment was a failure, at times the blood was started to circulate and the face and lips assumed their natural color. It is said that the heart was felt to throb several times. When the test was over Dr. Whitney claimed it was not successful because the boy's body had been rolled over a barrel after the drowning, thus causing internal injuries.—Cleveland Leader.

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SUNDAY IN CITY CHURCHES.

Where and How Victorians Will Worship To-Morrow.

St. Paul's Presbyterian Church, Victoria West.—Services at the usual hour, Rev. D. Macrae, pastor.

Two Sermons will be preached in the Temperance Hall, Pandora St., to-morrow at 11 a.m. and 7 p.m., by Rev. J. Bushell, Congregational Minister, of Tacoma. A cordial invitation is extended to everybody and to Congregationalists especially.

An address will be delivered to young men, at the Y. M. C. A. to-morrow afternoon by Dr. Ernest Hall on the subject "Law and Life." Men only, no charge.

Metropolitan Church—Morning, Rev. T. W. McCrossan at 11 o'clock; in the evening at 7 o'clock Rev. E. Robson will occupy the pulpit.

James Bay Methodist—Rev. E. Robson in the morning and the pastor in the evening

St. Barnabas Church, corner of Cook St. and Caledonia Avenue—12th Sunday after Trinity, cpt. 1st: Holy Eucharist, 8 a.m.; Matins, 10:30 a.m.; Choral Eucharist and sermon, 11:15 a.m.; Sunday School, 3 p.m.; Baptisms, 4:30 p.m.; Evensong and sermon, 7 p.m. The priest in charge, Rev. J. B. Hasiam, officiates at all the services. All seats free; strangers welcome.

Organ Recital—The following music will be played at St. John's Church at the close of the Sunday evening service by Mr. J. E. Bridgman, the organist: 1. Trumpet March, (Jude); 2. (a) Cavatina, Raff; (b) Berceuse in D, Spinney; 3. Grand Offertoire, Batiste.

Emmanuel Baptist Church—Pastor, Rev. P. H. McEwen will preach at 11 a.m. and 7 p.m. Morning subject, "Four necessary things in successful Christian work"; evening subject, "Four evils in a downward course." Sunday school and pastor's bible class at 2:30 p.m.

St. James Church, James Bay—To-morrow morning and evening services will be conducted by Ven. Archdeacon Scriven.

Calvary Baptist Church, Herald St., Rev. Ralph W. Trotter, B. Th., Pastor—The pastor will preach morning and evening. Morning subject, "The message of trees." Evening subject, "Honesty in common life." Mr. Trotter will, for several Sunday nights, deal with "the Gospel and the needs of modern society." Working men are especially invited 2:30 p.m., Sunday school and bible class; Monday, 8 p.m., The regular literary meeting of the young people; Thursday, 8 p.m., The people's prayer meeting. You are invited.

Theosophical Society, 28 Broad St.—Public meeting at 8:15 p.m. Subject, "Rebirth and Natural Law."

PERSONAL.

Capt Reverley of Vancouver, is in the city.

Geo. Kennedy of Wellington, is in the city.

Misses Phipps leave in the morning for Kootenay.

C. F. Lodd returned from the Mainland last night.

H. F. W. Behnsen returned last evening from Vancouver.

Clarence Brewster of the St. Paul Chronicle, is in the city.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond, of Nanaimo, are guests at the Driard.

G. A. Keefer returned last evening, from a trip to the mainland.

Mrs. M. A. Vigor returned last evening from a visit to California.

J. H. Butikoff, of Seattle, and F. G. Christie, Kamloops, are at the Driard.

F. J. Sehl and bride, (nee Styles) arrived from San Francisco last evening.

Mrs Langley and daughters are down from Ashcroft. They are at the Dallas.

A.G. McCandless was a passenger by the Charmer from Vancouver last evening.

Dr. G. L. Milne and H. Chapman were passengers last evening from Vancouver.

A. L. Ryals and R. G. Penn, U.S. Immigration Inspectors are here from Vanvouver.

Mrs A. E. Starr and daughter, returned on the Walla Walla from a visit to California.

Mrs. J. St. C. Blackett returned on the Walla Walla, from a visit to friends in California.

C. W. Illey and wife, of Vancouver, are at the Oriental. They leave for San Francisco to-night.

Miss N. Denny, who has been spending the summer in California returned home on the Walla Walla.

Jones asked his wife:
"Why is a husband like dough?"
He expected she would give it up, and he was going to tell her that it was "because a woman needs him," but she said it was "because he was hard to get off her hands."
Then the domestic entente cordiale was ruffled.—Boston Globe.

—New line of pocket cutlery just opened at Fox's, 78 Government street. Shaving outfits a specialty, guaranteed.

—Wire cloth for screen doors, meat safes, etc. Shore's hardware.

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LOCAL NEWS.

Gleanings of City and Provincial News in a Condensed Form.

—The yacht Eleanor came off the marine railway yesterday afternoon.

—The Members of the choir of the Metropolitan Methodist church enjoyed an outing on the arm last evening.

—The Walla Walla arrived from San Francisco at 10 o'clock last evening having made a good trip in spite of the fog, which was thick all the way up the coast. She brought 109 tons of freight for Victoria.

—Dr. Pope, superintendent of education, returned yesterday from an official visit to the schools in Wellington, Northfield and Nanaimo. He found them in a very satisfactory condition. Forest fires still rage in that locality and men are kept busy fighting them.

—At Port Townsend on Thursday evening Miss Belle Rockwood was quietly married to Peder Pederson, a resident of Port Hadlock. Belle Rockwood is "the girl" whom Robert Blyth is charged with seducing. The case is to come on on Tuesday next, and it is now likely that the prosecution will fall through.

—On Thursday evening the members of Colfax Rebekah degree lodge paid a surprise visit to Mrs. Hutcheson, of Harrison street, the occasion being that lady's fifty-ninth birthday. Mrs. Lange presented her with a handsome pair of crystals and J. E. Sabine gave a handsome fan. After the presentation a very pleasant evening was enjoyed.

—Some excellent specimens of the season's fruit have been received at the department of agriculture, and Mr. Palmer, inspector of fruit pests, is arranging an exhibit similar to that of last year. Some handsome yellow transparent apples from H. O. Wellburn's, of Duncan's and some red June apples from T. G. Earle, of Lytton, are among the best.

—Ald. Bragg has given notice of the following resolution: "That, whereas the present ward sub-division of the city is inequitable in most respects, which inequality is capable of remedial adjustment by a new sub-division of the city into wards, therefore be it resolved that the city be re-subdivided into four wards with a representation of two aldermen for each ward."

—At a meeting of the school board yesterday afternoon at 4 o'clock, Lewis Young was elected janitor of the Victoria West school, from among twenty-four applicants. It was decided to keep the schools open on Labor day. The arrangements as to Children's day at the fair made by a committee of the board with a committee of the society and referred to elsewhere, was ratified.

—On Monday afternoon at 3 o'clock there will be a special meeting of the full executive of the Women's Council at Government House. Lady Aberdeen will address the meeting, and reports of work already accomplished in connection with the fair will be given. The committee having charge of the latter work met yesterday afternoon when everything was reported to be in a highly satisfactory state.

—The Flagship band will render the following programme at the Mount Baker hotel this evening: March, "Her Golden Hair," Jones; Spanish valse, "Sevilla," Matador; Selection, "On American Melodies," Winterbottom; Characteristic, "The Mill in the Forest," Ellenberg; Reminiscences of Verdi, (arrd.), Godfrey; Concert polka, "Two Little Comrades," Lee; Medley selection, "Round the Town," Balfour; Mexican dance, "Eva," Canchola.

—The Countess of Aberdeen visited the W. C. T. U. and Chinese Refuge Home on Cormorant street, yesterday morning. She was conducted through the institution by a special committee consisting of Mrs. Spencer, Mrs. Robson, Mrs. Spofford and Mrs. Grant. She inquired closely as to the workings of the places and spoke cheering words to the inmates. The Chinese girls greeted her with "God Save the Queen" in English.

—The funeral of the late W. B. Nicholls took place yesterday from the residence of His Worship Mayor Teague and was very largely attended. Services were conducted at the Metropolitan Methodist church by Rev. J. F. Betts. The pall bearers were: Mr. J. Kinsman, Mr. Lettice, Mr. Jonothan Bullen, Mr. J. A. Grant, Mr. M. Humber and Mr. O'Neil. The floral offerings were numerous and beautiful.

—The case against J. A. Lawrence, under the sewer connections regulations by-law, was withdrawn in the city police court this morning.

—The steamer Maude leaves for the West Coast to-morrow and the Danube goes north on Monday. Both will take full loads of general merchandise from Victoria.

—Charley Edward, a Fort Rupert Indian arrested with a bottle of whiskey in his possession, was fined $25 and $1 costs in city police court this morning. He paid the fine but if he had not he would have had to serve a month with hard labor.

—For refusing to abate a nuisance in the shape of a cesspool at his place on Market street, Edward Murtan was this morning convicted of a breach of the public health by-law and fined $5 and $2 costs. He paid the fine. He was represented by H. G. Hall.

—On the steamship Empress of China, due here on Tuesday, are nearly 400 Chinese who are on their way to Cuba where they go under contract to work on plantations. They will be taken to Montreal over the C. P. R. and will go directly to Havana from there by steamer.

—It is understood that the vice-regal party will leave here on Tuesday night for Lord Aberdeen's farm in the Okanagan country. That is the time of departure as now agreed on, but it may be altered. The party will make quite an extended stay there and will, at its conclusion, return here in all probability.

—Triumph lodge, No. 16, I. O. G. T., held their regular weekly meeting in Masonic hall, Esquimalt, on Thursday evening. There was one initiation. Two of the members made some very appropriate remarks concerning the great loss which the lodge will sustain when members of the crew of the Hyacinth, who are now also members of the lodge, leave for England.

—M. D. Roche, organizer of the Canadian Order of Woodmen of the World, arrived down from New Westminster last evening and leaves this evening for Duncan's, where he will organize a camp this evening. The order is making rapid progress throughout the province, and at New Westminster, where organization is now being arranged for, will be one of the strongest camps of all.

—A well known ex-alderman was last evening successfully treated for rheumatism by the wonderful "Sequah" in the presence of a large audience. This evening "Sequah" will appear dressed in a costume worn in British India and relate incidents of his travel in that country. Judging by the large audiences which nightly pack the A. O. U. W. hall, "Sequah" is steadily gaining popularity.

—The steamer City of Puebla sails for San Francisco this evening. The following cabin passengers have been booked from Victoria: Miss C. Gussefield, Miss A. Gussefield, F. Schulte, W. Gussefield, Messrs. Sanborn and Enright, Mrs. Schulte, Mrs. Clarke, G. H. Haynes, L. Redon, Miss C. L. Boyd, Miss M. Frank, C. D. Jones, wife and child, Mr. Davidson and wife, C. W. Riley and wife, F. G. Christie and J. C. Budy.

—The Protestant Orphans' Home excursion on the steamer Joan to James island this afternoon, was quite well attended, the sale of tickets in advance having been quite large. The day although not the most pleasant as far as the weather is concerned, promises to prove a very enjoyable one for those attending. The Joan is a very comfortable boat to travel on, and was in every way suitable for to-day's trip. The excursion will return home between 8 and 9 o'clock.

—The field produce prizes at the Exhibition are well worth competing for. Besides the association prizes handsome special prizes are offered in this department by Messr. Hall, Ross & Co., the Colonist Publishing Co., the Province Publishing Co., the Times Publishing Co., Brackman & Ker Milling Co., Hudson's Bay Co., E. G. Prior & Co., Barnsley & Co., and R. Baker & Sons. The display of grain this year should be extra fine. The crops are reported to be A1 in quality throughout the province. There should be a display of grain at the show which will testify to the capabilities of the country in this line.

—Despite the fact that several gentlemen are sure that they saw J. C. Prevost on the northbound train last Sunday morning, the police are making a diligent search of the city and the vicinity for the missing registrar. Last night a search was made of his late residence in James Bay and other places where it was thought he might be in hiding. It is pretty certain that some of his friends at least know where he is and are keeping him posted as to the movements of the police. Although there were men who were yesterday positive that Prevost went to Duncan's on Sunday they are not so sure about it now and admit that they might have been mistaken. And now there are some who aver that he was picked up off the outer wharf on Friday evening by the City of Kingston. This story is very much like the one to the effect that he had boarded the Warrimoo in the Straits. The fact that Prevost was on the outer wharf just previous to the sailing of the Warrimoo is explained by the fact that he shipped a lot of ship chandlery by that vessel to Honolulu, having sold it to parties in the Island Republic.

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A NEW DEPARTURE.

George R. Jackson Adds a New Feature to His Business.

On September the 7th Geo. R. Jackson, the Government street tailor, intends opening in conjunction with his merchant tailoring business, a department devoted to gents' furnishings, and he is now receiving a large and well selected stock of the latest European and American novelties.

The workshop, which has heretofore occupied the rear of the spacious apartments at 57 Government street, has been removed to Broad street, to make room for the largely increased stock which it will now be necessary to carry. As heretofore, Mr. George R. Jackson will devote his entire attention to the management of the tailoring department, while Mr. M. R. Goldberg will superintend the new branch—gents' furnishings.

During the past two weeks a squad of workmen have been at work arranging the interior fittings of the establishment, and Messrs. Weiler Bros. to whom was given the contract for the counters, shelving and window fittings, have reason to be proud of their efforts. A rough estimate places the cost of the work, which is in eastern cedar, at $1,500.

SEQUAH MAY SELL.

Magistrate Macrae Declares That He Is not Practising Medicine.

The case against Sequah, the medicine man, summoned for practicing medicine without being registered as required by the Medical Act, resulted in acquittal after a brief hearing in police court yesterday afternoon. Thomas Browne, the complainant, was the only witness. He detailed the treatment of Mr. Franklin by Sequah on Wednesday evening and gave his own experience. He had gone to Sequah complaining of an abscess and had been sold some oil for application to it. It developed during cross-examination that Sequah did not diagnose any case, that he claimed that his medicines, not his skill or treatment, would cure 90 out of every 100 cases of rheumatism, and that there was no charge made to Mr. Franklin, and that the witness had been asked to appear by Detective McFarlane. When the prosecution closed Frank Higgins moved for a dismissal of the charge. The defence hinged upon the definition of "practising medicine," Mr. Higgins arguing that as there had been no diagnosis there was no violation of the law, and that his client had a perfect right to sell patent medicine. He quoted Reg. vs. Howeth and Reg. vs. Coulson, both Ontario cases. Mr. Barnard, for the prosecution, claimed that there had been a violation of the law, that Sequah did determine Brown's disease and prescribe for him, and that there was gain in view.

Magistrate Macrae granted the motion, saying that Sequah had not gone beyond his rights in selling the medicines.

FARMERS' NATIONAL CONGRESS.

Endeavor Being Made to Organize a Party from British Columbia.

Mr. J. R. Anderson, deputy minister of agriculture, has addressed communications to W. Adams, M. P. P., Alexandria; The B. C. Agricultural and Industrial Association, Victoria; the Delta Agricultural Society, Ladner's; the Cowichan and Salt Spring Island Agricultural Association, Duncan's; the Inland Agricultural Association, Ashcroft; the Okanagan and Spallumcheen Agricultural Association, Enderby; the Comox Agricultural Association, Comox; the Chilliwack Agricultural Association, Chilliwack; and the Kamloops Agricultural Association, Kamloops; requesting them to suggest names of farmers who would be willing to attend the Farmers' National Parliament, which meets at Atlanta, Georgia, on October 10th to 16th inclusive. Mr. Anderson has been asked by Mr. Stahl, the secretary, to inform him as soon as possible of the names, so that he can send particulars of the low railway rates arranged for and of the meeting. He has suggested to the societies that they should bear the travelling expenses of the delegates.

The Hon. Col. Baker, Acting Minister of Agriculture, highly approves of the idea of a pan-American parliament, feeling sure that it will redound greatly to the interests of agriculture generally and be a means, if it is taken hold of in this province, to advertise its capabilities to the world at large. He therefore earnestly recommends the scheme to the people of the province.

—The following attractive programme programme will be given by the band of the B. C. B. G. A., under the direction of J. M. Finn, at Beacon Hill park tomorrow afternoon:

Grand Processional March....The Silver Trumpets....Viviani.
Overture....The Barber of Seville..Rossini
Walser..Tansend Und Eine Nacht..Strauss
Pilgrim Chorus from Tannhauser..Wagner
Grand Selection from the Bohemian Girl..Balfe.
Descriptive Piece, The Musical Critic's Dream..E. A. Dix.
Solo for Euphonium, The Palms....Faure
March.....The Rifle Regiment.....Sousa
God Save the Queen.

—The Juvenile Opera Company will give a complimentary benefit concert and dance in A. O. U. W. hall on Friday evening, September 6. A good programme has been prepared with selections from "The Four Leaved Clover." Little Senorita Juanita has kindly consented to dance one of her pretty dances, and Richardson's orchestra will provide the music. The dance will be in the large hall down stairs.

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Y. M. I. PICNIC.

Programme of Sports To Be Held at Sidney on Monday.

On Monday, Labor Day, the members of the Y. M. I. and their friends will picnic at Sidney. Trains will leave the Hillside station at 1 and 7:30 p.m., and returning will leave Sidney at 5:30 and 11:30 p.m. Fare for the round trip, 50 cents. The programme of sports to be held at Sidney follows:

1. 200 yards race—1st prize, 6 mos. Daily Times by Times P. and P. Co.; 2nd prize, briar pipe by D. McBrady.
2. 100 yards race—1st prize, 6 mos. Daily Colonist, by Colonist P. & P. Co.; 2nd prize, cigar case, by Frank Campbell.
3. Boys' race, (under 10 years)—1st prize, album, by Hibben & Co.; 2nd prize, box of blocks, by Hibben & Co.; 3rd prize, box of candy, by Dixi H. Ross.
4. Girls' race, (under 10 years)—1st prize bottle of perfume, by Moore & Co.; 2nd prize, book (Daisy Seekers), Hibben & Co.
5. Y. M. I. race, 1-4 mile—1st prize, ebony cane, by S. Reid; 2nd prize, watch charm.
6. Boys' race, (under 15 years)—1st prize, album by Hibben & Co.; 2nd prize, checkers and board, by Hibben & Co.; 3rd prize, box of candy, by Dixi H. Ross.
7. Girls' race, (under 15 years)—1st prize, bottle of perfume, by Moore & Co.; 2nd prize, solid silver brooch.
8. Smoking race—1st prize, box of cigars, by M. Bantly; 2nd prize watch charm.
9. Ladies' race—1st prize, silver napkin ring, by J. Wenger; 2nd prize, brooch.
10. Potato race—1st prize, keg of beer, by J. Leahy; 2nd prize, 1-2 doz. cider, by Phillips Bros.
11. Three legged race—1st prize, box of cigars, by A. Saranits; 2nd prize 1-2 doz. cider, by Phillips Bros.
12. Skipping race for girls—1st prize, brooch; 2nd prize, box of candy, by Dixi H. Ross.

In the evening prize waits—Prize for gentleman, silver shaving mug, by Weiler Bros; prize for lady, pair of vases by Sehl, Hastie, Erskine Co.

All races to be strictly amateur.

LAW INTELLIGENCE.

In the case of the Royal Canadian Packing company vs. Oleson and Williscroft, garnishee, Mr. Justice Drake this morning dismissed the garnishee's summons to set aside the writ of execution. The garnishee order was made absolute on 12th June last and execution issued thereon and on Thursday last the sheriff seized in Victoria the steamer Nell, used by the garnishee at Georgetown on the Skeena. The ground on which it was sought to set aside the writ of execution was that it was not in the form prescribed by general rules of court (English) 1854. His Lordship held that he had no power to set aside the order absolute which could only be done on appeal from it and the writ which followed the form prescribed by our rules and which recited the fact that the order absolute had been obtained was sufficient. As Mr. Williscroft swore that at the time the order was served on him, he did not owe Oleson anything, execution was stayed on his giving security and paying the sheriff's costs pending an application by garnishee for leave to appeal. C. E. Pooley, Q. C., for the application and A. L. Belyea contra.

—The statement re subscriptions for Sunday concerts in the park is as follows:

Already acknowledged	$54 25
Gus. Leiser	5 00
John Irving	5 00
Cash	2 50
Fell & Co	1 00
Geo. R. Jackson	1 00
Simon Leiser	2 00
Victoria Brewing Co	1 00
Music	1 00
K. D. Chongranes	1 00
Total	73 75
To band concert, Aug. 18	35 00
Balance on hand	38 75

—Col. H. F. W. Behnsen returned last evening from Vancouver, where on Wednesday evening he inspected the division. On Thursday evening he was entertained at a moonlight excursion on the inlet. Next Wednesday evening the Victoria division hold a social and dance at Castle Hall.

—Yakima Free Stone Peaches for preserving, at Erskine, Wall & Co.

may mean out of wind or out of style. What's out of style belongs to the rag bag. To turn your pants into trousers up to date, come where the correct trousers are, our store. Strictly speaking, to make your outfit complete you need an extra pair of "pants." We can double your trousers handsomely from our new stock, and what's more, suit you from head to foot to admiration. There's room for an immense difference in clothing, which may be first class or 'way down on the list. Ours is first class. You can see that by the style, make-up and wear.

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INTERESTING FACTS ABOUT THIS PECULIAR TROUBLE.

A Pembroke Lady Who Suffered for Eight Years Gives the Particulars of Her Illness, and Tells How She Obtained Relief.

From Pembroke Standard.

The grateful thanks of thousands in all parts of the Dominion who have been made well is the best evidence of the sterling merit of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills for Pale People. We suppose there is not a city, town or village in Canada in which the good record of this health giving medicine is not known, and Pembroke is no exception to the rule. Among those who speak of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills in terms of the highest praise is Mrs. Fournier, wife of Mr. Peter Fournier, both of whom are held in high esteem by those who know them. To a reporter who recently visited their home Mrs. Fournier gave a plain untarnished statement of her illness and cure. "It is now about eight years," she said, "since I began to grow ill with a pain in my back, stomach and side, and the amount of suffering which it caused me can scarcely be realized. As the days and months passed by I began to grow weaker, and I was seldom free from the intense pains. At last I grew so weak that I was obliged to take to my bed, and even then suffered from the pains which were making my life so miserable. My appetite failed me and I feared that I was doomed to be an invalid. During those days I was under the care of a skilful physician, but his medicine did me no good. He said that my trouble was neuralgia or rheumatism of the stomach. It was during these dark days, as I lay an almost helpless invalid, that a friend strongly urged me to try Dr. Williams' Pink Pills. Although I had little faith in their efficacy at the time, I consented to try them. After using a few boxes I began to feel myself growing stronger and the pains leaving me. I continued using them until I had used a dozen boxes, and now you can see for yourself whether I look like a sick person or not. The pains in my stomach, side and back, have ceased to trouble me, and I have not been as well in eight years as I feel now. My appetite which was so poor at one time is now fully restored, and I am confident that not only have Pink Pills cured me, but they have saved me from misery and pain I would have otherwise still be enduring." Mr. Fournier, who was present at the interview, fully endorsed all his wife had said.

Dr. Williams' Pink Pills make pure, rich blood, thus reaching the root of disease and driving it out of the system, curing when other medicines fail. Most of the ills afflicting mankind are due to an impoverished condition of the blood, or weak or shattered nerves, and for all these Pink Pills are a specific which speedily restore the sufferer to health. These pills are never sold in any form except in the company's boxes, the wrapper round which bears the full name "Dr. Williams' Pink Pills for Pale People." All others are counterfeits and should always be refused. Get the genuine and be made well.

A VALUABLE DIME.

That Coined in the San Francisco Mint in 1894 Worth Five Dollars.

Whoever has a dime of 1894, coined by the San Francisco mint, has a coin for which $5 has already been offered, and when all the facts are known regarding its scarcity it is not unlikely that it will command a much higher premium.

Inquiry at the mint elicited the information that during the fiscal year of 1894 only 24 dimes were coined at the San Francisco mint. How this came about was told by Chief Clerk Robert Barnett:

"All uncurrent subsidiary coins, viz.: those containing other than the design now being used when received at the sub-treasury, are not again allowed to go into circulation, but are sent to the mint to be recoined with the current design. In the course of the 1894 we received a large sum in these coins, but having an ample stock of dimes on hand, it was not intended to coin any of that denomination in 1894. However, when nearly all this subsidiary coin bullion had been utilized, we found on our hands a quantity that would coin to advantage only into dimes, and into dimes it was coined, making just 24 of them.

"My attention was first drawn to the matter particularly by the receipt of a letter from a collector somewhere east requesting a set of coins of 1894. In filling this order I found that there were no dimes of that date on hand. Subsequently I received quite a number of similar letters and in each case was, of course, unable to furnish the dime.

"Plenty of dimes were coined that year at Philadelphia and New Orleans mints, but there are many collectors who accumulate the coinage of each mint, as each has its distinguishing mark. Those coined here bear a letter 'S' under the eagle, New Orleans used the letter 'O' and Carson City the letter 'C,' while Philadelphia coins are recognized by the absence of the letter.

"We receive each year about fifty requests from coin collectors for coins, mostly for those of silver."—The Call.

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ROME SAID "RETURN."

And the Jesuit Missionary Went Back Among the Fierce Indians.

It was, I think, at the little port of the Esquina in Corrientes that he came on board. A priest at first sight, yet not quite similar to other priests, at least to those whose mission is only for mass and meat. A Spaniard, too, at first sight, with the clean-cut features of Old Castille, the bony hands that mark the man of action, and feet as square as boxes. Withal not commonplace, though unassuming, but with a look of that intensity of purpose which many saints have shared with bulldogs.

Nobody knew him, and he did not seem to be a man of much importance. The stewards observing that all his luggage consisted of a newspaper which he carried under his arm, turned from him with disdain. The traders and the gamblers saw he was not one of them. Even the gauchos looked a little scornful and remarked that he was most probably a "maturango." In their vocabulary "maturango," meaning a bad rider, is the most contemptuous term of all. Among them a philosopher who touched his horse with his toe in mounting would have no acceptation. As for the itinerant opera company, even the basso (always the wit of an Italian opera company) had nothing to say about him.

Still after a little time, and as the steamer skirted the city of Corrientes and entered the Paraguay, and passing Humaita with the church a ruin still from the time of the war, and left Curupaity behind her, passing into the regions of dense forests where the Bermejo and the Pilcomayo, after running through the Chaco, fall into the Parguay, it was apparent that the lonely passenger had become a favorite. Why, was not apparent at first sight. Certainly he knew the river better in some respects than the Corrientino pilot, and could point out the various places where, in bygone times, such or such a missionary had met his fate by Indian spear or arrow.

"Just between that tuft of palms under the mountain in the distance, Father Julian Lizardi, a Biscayan, received his martyr's crown in 1785 at the hands of the Chirguanas. Beside his body, pierced with arrows, was found his breviary, open at the office for the dead, as if, poor soul, he had been trying to read his own funeral service. In pace requiscat. There, where you see the broken tower and ruined walls—the 'tapera,' as they call it here in these countries—the Jesuits had a town among the Guayencrus. This was before the Philistines prevailed against them, and withdrew them from their work and light from the souls of the poor Indians."

Thus discoursing and smoking cigarettes perpetually for the newspaper contained nothing but paper and tobacco, he wound himself into our hearts. The traders swore by him; even the Englishmen, when he said he was a Jesuit, replied that they did not care, he was a d——d good fellow, and he smiled, not understanding but seeing they were pleased. The Brazilians in the morning asked for his blessing on the sly, though all free-thinkers when talking in the smoking room. The opera troupe were his devoted slaves, and he used to sit and hear their grievances and settle their quarrels. Even the gauchos, before they went ashore at Asuncion, chatted familiarly with him, and asked him if he knew the Pope, and told him of the "deaths they owed," and wondered if one of them who never was baptized and, therefore, had no saint, could go to heaven; to which he answered: "Yes, my son, on All Saints' Day.

We left Asuncion, with its towers and houses hidden in orange gardens, and the great palace, in the style of Palladio, by the river's edge. Asuncion, the capital of the vice-royalty of Paraguay—in the Spanish times a territory about as large as Europe and now a sleepy semi-Indian village, after having endured the three successive tyrannies of Francia and the two Lopezes—look over the Chaco at the great desert, still an unknown wilderness of swamps and forests. Then the river narrows and all traces of civilization are left behind. Here the Jesuit, for all had begun to forget to call him anything else, seemed to brighten up as if he expected something, and his stories of the Jesuits of old times became more frequent.

Little by little his own history came out, for he was not communicative, at least about himself. Near the Laguna de los Xarayas, it appeared that the company of Jesus had secretly started a missing among the Guasarapos, and he was of it. Never since the days of the Jesuits' glory in America had any missionary been bold enough to make the experiment. Fernandez and Alvar Nunez, in times past, had written of their fierceness and intractability. Nuno de Chavos, the bold adventurer, who founded the town of Sta. Cruz de la Sierra, had met his death close to their territory. At long intervals they had been known to come to the mission of El Santo Corazon, or some times to wander even as far as that of Reyes, in the district of Moxos, while throughout the region of the upper Paraguay, stories of their outrages and murders were rife. In the long hot nights, as the vessel drew near to Corumba, the passengers would sit and listen to the tales the Jesuit told.

Seated in a cane chair, dressed in rusty black, a jipijapa hat, nothing about him priestly but his breviary and "alzacuello," without an atom of pose; he held us spellbound. Even the Catalonian captain, nursed to show his liberalism by hating priests of all degrees, Catholic and Protestant, grew quite friendly with the "little crow," as he called him, and promised to put him ashore as near the mission as he could. "Mission, Senor Captain? There is no mission—that is, now. I am the mission—that is, all that now remains of it."

Such was the case, for it appeared that the Indians, either tired of missions or bored by preaching, or because they wished to kill a white man, had risen some months ago and burned the church, and buildings, killed the priests with the exception of our passenger, and returned to wander in the forests. "Those who are dead are now in glory," our Jesuit observed, "and the Indians will find some other pastors more successful, though none more self-devoted." Everyone on board protested, and the little man smiled as he informed us that he had escaped and made his way to a settlement, had gone to Buenos Ayres, where he had telegraphed to Rome for orders, and the one word had come: "Return."

Next day, after much protestation from the captain, the steamer stopped at a sort of clearing in the forest, lowered a boat, and the Jesuit went ashore, his newspaper well filled with cigarettes. Stepping ashore he stood for an instant, a little figure in rusty black, a midget against the giant trees, a speck against the giant vegetation. The steamer puffed and snorted and swung into the stream, the Jesuit waved his hand, took up his newspaper of cigarettes, and, as the passengers and crew stood staring at him from the decks and rigging, walked into the forest.—Saturday Review.

AN AUSTRALIAN ARGUMENT.

How They Settle Political Differences in South Australia.

London, Aug. 30.—The Chronicle has information that Mr. Sparks, a prominent landed proprietor of Adelaide, South Australia, tried to horse-whip Hon. C.C. Kingston, attorney-general and premier of South Australia, in Victoria Square, Adelaide, in revenge for a personal attack in a speech. Premier Kingston wrested the whip from his assailant and horse-whipped Sparks instead. The men are political enemies. Mr. Kingston represents the labor interest.

A REMARKABLE CHILD.

Queer Freak of Nature Reported From Pennsylvania.

The residents of the quiet little village of Blackwood, Camden county, have been talking for the past week about a remarkable child that was recently born near that place, says the Philadelphia Press. The case will be of interest to the entire medical world, as the child was a wonderful freak of nature. The mother of the child, who is now dead, lived a short distance from the village, and was the wife of a prosperous farmer.

The physician in attendance in the case was Dr. Henry E. Brannin, senior physician at the Blackwood insane asylum. He was seen at his home and was asked to give some information regarding the child. He said the case is somewhat similar to that of the Siamese twins, but was more remarkable. "With them," he went on to say, "the joining band was a ligament attached to the waist. The child, weighing twelve pounds, had two well developed heads. The one on the left side was larger than the one on the right. There were two fully developed legs and feet, and an extra short leg and great toe that protruded from the back, just above the right hip. There were four arms. Two of them hung naturally by the side, while the other two were folded around the back of the neck. There was but one body. It was very broad across the chest, and contained two pairs of lungs and two hearts.

"The left side appeared to be much larger than the right. The head on the left side was bent a little to one side and was larger than the other, which pressed against the cheek, in which there was a deep indentation. The left arm and the right arm locked at the back of the neck, were the same size. The right arm and the left arm at the back of the neck were smaller. The small leg at the back corresponded in proportion to the right arm."

Dr. Brannin said that the two well-developed legs could have been of service to the child. The outer arms were perfect and the arms about the neck showed that they could be moved, and by a slight surgical operation they could have been dropped to the side. The child lived long enough for the physicians to discover that each lung worked independently of each other. He said the mother had given birth to six children previously. She was in a fair way of recovery.

Dr. Brannin said that from a medical standpoint the birth was one that would puzzle the medical fraternity and would afford considerable speculation.

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Ar 4 30 pm	Victoria	Lv 8 00 am
4 15	Russell's	8 15
4 05	Esquimalt	8 25
3 55	Duncan's	8 35
3 40	Somenos	8 50
3 30	Chemainus	9 00
3 15	Oyster Bay	9 15
3 00	Nanaimo	9 30
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MIDWAY.
Midway Advance.

Besides burning up a large extent of good range, the recent bush fires at Grand Prairie destroyed over a mile of fence for Manley Bros.

Messrs. Morrison & McClintock have gone out to Colville to fetch in an outfit for the purpose of working their new properties, which they propose to developing with a sixty-foot shaft.

The bulk of Grand Prairie crops are gathered in, and by the number of stacks of grain and hay to be seen on the several ranches, we should say that the owners have little to grumble at.

Rock is being hauled to the Fairview mill from the Brown Bear claim, and shortly the stamps will once again proclaim with a rumbling voice that the Stratheyre Mining Company is still in the land of the living.

Morrison & McClintock's strike between Copper and Deadwood camps is attracting a great deal of attention and many have been heard to declare it one of the best things that has been found this summer.

A large number of claims are being located up the north fork of Kettle river in and around Brown's Camp, and another camp that is receiving attention is Prior camp on Prior creek, a tributary of Boundary, which heads toward Summit camp.

The samples sought for the bureau of mines are accumulating at the record office here, among which may be noticed some fine ore from some of the principal claims in the district. When it gets to Victoria people at the coast will know more about what our country can produce.

Recently bush fires have been very prevalent, and as a consequence our local constables have been very much on the alert, the result of which last week was the issuance of a summons upon a man named Curtis, who recently pre-empted a ranch upon Myers creek. The evidence must have been of a very convincing character, for he preferred to sacrifice his prospects in the country, going across the line, rather than face our justices of the peace.

Mr. Pemberton, of Rock Creek, has, we understand, in company with the deputy sheriff of Okanogon county, Wash., discovered a very big property in the neighborhood. The exact location is a secret. The ledge, he says, is between 20 and 30 feet wide. Assays were made in Midway, and the returns showed $70 in gold and 20 per cent. copper.

The American Boy and American Girl, two claims located upon Hardy Creek this summer by Mr. C. C. Sands, and subsequently partly disposed of to Indiana parties, among whom is the celebrated Studebaker, the wagon maker, are now under development, turning out some fine looking ore, which, up to the present, is of a free milling character. It is more than likely a mill will be erected upon these claims in the near future.

THE CHILDREN'S DAY.

Committees from the School Board and Agricultural Society Plan for It.

School Trustees Mrs. Grant, Lovell and Glover, acting as a committee, conferred yesterday with Messrs. N. Shakespeare and G. H. Brown, a committee from the agricultural association, in regard to the arrangement for children's day—Wednesday, September 18—at the fair. It was decided to have the first six divisions of the various schools meet at Central School at 1 o'clock, where they will form in procession and march to the grounds headed by a band. The younger children will not be required to march with the older children, but may go with their parents.

Upon the arrival of the children the following programme will be carried out under direction of Mr. St. Clair: Military drill, manoeuvres and march past by six divisions of Boys' Central; four divisions South Park; four divisions North Ward; and two divisions of Victoria West school, in all about 1000 boys. This will be followed by dumb bell exercise to music by the same detachment. Then come sports for the children, the programme being—120 yards race, boys under ten years; one hundred yards dash, boys under 15 years; 50 yards dash, boys under 8; sack race, boys under 15; quarter mile race, boys under 15; mile race, boys under 15, and bicycle race, half-mile, handicap. The two lower divisions will be furnished with badges, whose presentation will admit them to the grounds. All the upper divisions are required to take part in the procession.

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SCOTTISH GREETING.

Reception to the Governor-General and the Countess of Aberdeen.

His Excellency the Governor-General and Countess of Aberdeen were given a reception last evening by the members of the Sir William Wallace Society and their lady friends. Many of the members, including Pipers Robertson, Munro and Macdonald, were in full highland dress. His Excellency also wore kilts in honor of the occasion. The vice-regal party consisted of Lord and Lady Aberdeen, Lord Haddo, Lieut.-Col. Prior, A. D. C., Mr. Munro Ferguson, A. D. C., Dr. Gibson, Miss Welterman, Dr. Weldon, head master of Harrow, and Prof. Prince, Dominion fisheries commissioner. They were met at the door by Chief Russell, Past Chief R. H. Jameson, Chieftain Hanna, and Secretaries A. Maxwell Muir and A. B. Fraser. Secretary Muir read the following address of welcome:

May it please your Excellency:

We, the officers and members of the Sir William Wallace Society, beg leave to respectfully welcome you to our society's rooms, for it is with feelings of pride and satisfaction that we look back to our first meeting Your Excellency nearly a year ago. We welcome you with even greater pleasure on this occasion because we know that Your Excellency fully appreciates the scope of our institution, and being a Scotsman and not unmindful of the history and traditions of our native land you can enter into the spirit of our national organization, named as it is after him who, perhaps, of all Scotsman of his day, did most to conciliate and maintain our nationality. We desire again to express the pleasure it gave us when Your Excellency signified your willingness to become Patron of our society, and we hope the influence thus gained by Your Excellency's recognition of our efforts may ever be used for the advancement of our native land and the good of that in which we live, as well as the good and welfare of our countrymen.

We are proud of Your Excellency and Lady Aberdeen's presence with us to-night, and we thank you both heartily for the interest shown in our society.

We wish you many days of happiness and prosperity in which to exercise that great influence which your exalted position affords you, and we pray that the God of our fathers may be on your right hand and on your left to guard you in all the undertakings of your lives.

We take pleasure in presenting this address to Your Excellency on account of the manner in which you have recognized our society, both with your sympathy and with your presence. We are,

Yours Excellency's obedient servants,
JAMES RUSSELL, Chief.
JAMES RUSSELL, Chief.
A. MAXWELL MUIR, Secretary.

His Excellency replied, thanking the members on behalf of himself and the Countess of Aberdeen, for their kind greeting.

A programme followed, in which Misses Brown, Robinson and Jameson and Mr. Anderson took part. Refreshments were served in the library, after which there was dancing.

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FRANCE IMPRESSED CHINA.

With the Fact That the Former Must be Paid.

Washington, Aug. 30.—The state department officials say China's agreement to pay France 4,000,000 francs indemnity on account of the anti-missionary riots at Sze-Chuon is due to the fact that France decided to prosecute her claim alone, and independently of the United States and Great Britain. The French had large property interests in that section, and the sum agreed upon is considered entirely reasonable compensation for the loss sustained. The authorities here are satisfied with the progress that is being made in the settlement of the claim of this country and of England, which are being pressed jointly, but they say that the point has not yet been reached in these negotiations where the amount of indemnity could be suggested.

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Taking the Bishop of Toronto, Right Rev. A. Sweatman, D. D., D. C. L., three of the leading members of the faculty of McMaster Hall, and men like the Rev. W. H. Withrow, and others, as representing the Methodist church, all of whom have spoken in high terms of the merits of Dr. Agnew's Catarrhal Powder, and unite with these the warm endorsement of this medicine by the well known Toronto journalist, Mr. W. L. Smith, as representing the laymen, and it must be granted that clergymen and laymen are of one mind touching this truly meritorious medicine. The truth is that everyone who uses the medicine has a good word to say for it.

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MUNICIPAL.

TO PROPERTY OWNERS.

Tax notices for the year 1895 were posted on the 28th, August instant, to those on the Municipal Assessment Roll for the current year.

Anyone who may not receive same in due course will please apply at the post office.

CHAS. KENT,
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City Collector's Office.
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A Team Has Arrived From Across the Water to Play the American Teams.

Vancouver's Explanation of Why the Lacrosse Team Could Not Play To-Day.

THE RING.

THE BATTLE IS SURE.

Dallas, Tex., Aug. 30.—The reports that have to-day been circulated in St. Louis, New York and other cities to the effect that the Corbett-Fitzsimmons contest will not take place, are pronounced by President Stuart and his associates to-night as utterly lacking in truth. No changes, he declares, have been made in the original plans, and none are contemplated. Reports were also circulated that the delivery of the building material for the amphitheatre had been discontinued. This is also untrue. A train load of material was received and unloaded at the site of the building this afternoon.

Austin, Tex., Aug. 30.—It has been rumored about the state house to-day that Governor Culberson is looking with suspicion at the announcement that Collins and Cavanagh will fight at Dallas September 7. It is believed that this affair is being arranged in order to get the question of the validity of the Texas prizefighting law into the higher court for decision before the time of the Corbett-Fitzsimmons fight.

Washington City, Aug. 30.—Judge E. B. Ernest, collector of customs of Laredo, Tex., who is in the city, was asked to-night if the Mexican authorities would permit the Corbett-Fitzsimmons fight to occur in the boundaries of that country. He said: "President Diaz has announced that no such fight could be held within the borders of his government. What he said he will uphold. If necessary he would lead an army in person to break up the fight. It begins to look as though they might as well abandon the idea of having the fight in Dallas. If Sheriff Cabelle is ordered to stop the fight, or considers it his duty to interfere, nothing can alter his determination."

FITZSIMMONS A GENTLEMEN.

Recent events have considerably modified the views of men who take an interest in pugilistic matters, and if Corbett and Fitzsimmons were about to enter the ring to-morrow for the big contest it is not probable that much odds would be given on the Californian in the betting. The developments of the Corbett divorce suit, followed so soon by the champion's strange encounter with Fitzsimmons in the bar of a Philadelphia hotel and other almost equally sensational happenings are enough to set men asking whether he is really so different from Sullivan and his manner of living as has been popularly supposed, and whether the same causes which are said to have militated against John L. in his later battles may not now be reasonably considered as factors in weighing Corbett's chances with the lanky Australian. The failings of the latter, if he has any that deserve consideration, are those of a rough manly man, and even those who are not Fitzsimmons' admirers admit that he is now in the prime of manhood, and sound and fit to enter training for the battle of his life. Careful critics are asking whether this much can be said in Corbett's case. Corbett lost control of himself in the ring with Mitchell at Jacksonville. He has lost his temper on every occasion since then when he was put face to face with Fitzsimmons. On the contrary, the Australian has shown himself a most cool headed and exasperating foe. Should Corbett lose his temper when he confronts Fitzsimmons to battle for the championship it may be a much more serious matter for him than when he stormed and scowled at a stale little Englishman who was conceding him years in age and almost forty pounds in weight. Fitzsimmons, the cool, skilful, agile boxer, whose sledge-hammer blows easily vanquished Dempsey, Mahrer and Hall, will not be slow to seize an advantage. And these are some of the considerations which are leading even admirers of Corbett to be more conservative in estimating his chances in the coming contest.

YACHTING.

THE AFTERMATH.

New York, Aug. 30.—The third so-called race between the Defender and Vigilant which took place yesterday was a good deal of a farce. Defender won over a course of ten miles to windward and return by five minutes and twelve seconds, when she could have crossed the line anywhere from eight to ten minutes ahead of the Vigilant if she had been sailed for all she was worth. The magnificent showing that the Defender made the day before in all kinds of weather, and on all points of sailing, created so much enthusiasm that Mr. C. O. Iselan, the chief manager of the syndicate which built the yacht, may have to come to the conclusion that she uncovered her qualities too much, and possibly he decided to pull back a little bit to-day. That of course is only surmised, but the facts tend very largely to bear out the theory, if it is only a theory. There is no doubt that Defender made a tack just before rounding the outer mark, which she would have had no occasion to do if she had been truly well handled. That tack alone cost her a minute or more. In all the beating down to the outer mark Defender was sailed with a rapful or more. No effort was at any time made to keep her pointed up to the wind. The Vigilant, on the other hand, was sailed as she always is, in the truest and most sportsmanlike manner. Thursday in a beat of eight miles, Defender beat Vigilant five minutes and five seconds in a run before the wind. The keel boat beat the centreboard over the same distance two minutes and thirteen seconds when the wind was light. Yesterday, when there was a good breeze at the start, say ten miles an hour, which increased a couple of miles before she reached the outer mark, Defender in a ten mile leg beat the Vigilant only five minutes and twenty seconds, and on the home run before the wind, during which there was never less than an eight knot breeze, the Vigilant picked up ten seconds. Thursday the water was so smooth that it could be put in the same class with a mill pond. Yesterday there was a little bit of a sea, white caps appearing here and there over the surface, but never choppy. Only one of two inferences can be drawn, either Defender jockeyed to-day or she is no good in water that has just begun to get rough. Nobody who ever saw that yacht stand up in the squall of yesterday can believe that a fairly rough sea will disturb her progress materially. The course was from the Scotland lightship east south east, which was dead to windward, ten miles and return.

CRICKET.

ENGLISHMEN "JUST OVER."

New York, Aug. 31.—The American line steamer St. Louis, which arrived this morning, brought among her cabin passengers the Oxford and Cambridge cricketers who are to compete with American teams in Staten Island, Philadelphia and other places. The team is composed of Captain F. Mitchell, St. T. Hill, H. A. Arkwright, U. F. Druse, W. Mortimer, F. A. Phillips, J. C. Hartley, F. W. Milligan, W. M. Hemingway, C. E. Wilson, W. W. Low, C. D. Robinson, R. A. Stubb, H. H. Marriott. The English cricketers are to play against all New York teams on Staten Island cricket club grounds Sept. 2, 3, 4. Then they go to Toronto, where they play the gentlemen of Canada on September 6 and 7. The game with the University of Pennsylvania and Germantown teams will follow. The English cricketers will return home October 2 on one of the American line steamers.

CHESS.

INTERNATIONAL TOURNEY.

Hastings, Eng. Aug. 30.—The nineteen round of the International Chess Masters' tournament was played to-day. The results were as follows: Mieses beat Vergani in a Vienna game after 55 moves; Bardelben beat Gunsberg, in a king's gambit, declined, after 18 moves; Teischman beat Burn in a queen's gambit, declined, after 26 moves; Albin beat Albrodt in French defence after 47 moves; Tschigorin beat Pollock in an Evans gambit after 40 moves; Mason beat Blackburn in an Evans gamoit after 37 moves; Janowski beat Schlecter in a queen's gambit declined, after 30 moves; Steinitz beat Barco in a Ruy Lopez after 38 moves; Schiffer beat Bird in a two knight's defence after 61 moves; Pillsbury beat Tinsley in a queen's gambit, declined, after 73 moves; Tarrasch beat Lasker in a Ruy Lopez after 40 moves.

LACROSSE.

VANCOUVER'S EXPLANATION.

Vancouver News-Advertiser: The game scheduled for to-morrow at Victoria between the Vancouver and Victoria teams has been postponed till Saturda, Sept. 7th. The Vancouver club found it impossible to get a team together and wired Victoria to-day asking for a postponement. Several of the players were on the sick list and disabled since last Saturday. Ken Campbell is sick in bed with quinsey, Dave Smith and Mat Peard are knocked out with wrenched knees, and are unable to run. The club tried to draft from the Beavers but were unsuccessful, as they are going to Seattle to-morrow night. This is the first time the Vancouver club have ever asked for a postponement and if any kind of a team could have been got they would have gone down to-day."

ATHLETICS.

THE FIELD'S ADVICE.

London, Aug. 30.—The Field this morning publishes a third article on Athletics which is devoted to a consideration of the different methods of practising of athletes in both England and America. The Field suggests as a means of avoiding friction or misunderstanding that when American athletes contemplate a material change in the conduct of any athletic sports, they should first confer with the English athletic authorities.

THE WHEEL.

MORE RECORDS MADE.

Kansas City, Mo., Aug. 31.—Three thousand people witnessed the L. A. W. races at Fairmont Park yesterday. The feature of the day was the breaking of the mile record for a standing start on a quarter mile track. L. D. Cabann, of St. Louis, paced by a tandem, made the distance in 2:02 2-5; previous record, 2:03, was held by Tyler. In the mile open, class B, Titus broke the track record of 2:15, going in 2:10.

GOLF.

CLUB REORGANIZED.

The following officers have been elected by the Victoria Golf Club for the ensuing year: President, Hewitt Bostock (vice Lieut.-Governor Dewdney, resigned) captain, Harvey Combe; honorary secretary-treasurer, C. B. Stahlschmidt; committee, G. A. Kirk, W. E. Oliver, W. H. Langley, B. H. Tyrwhitt Drake, C. C. Worsfold, F. W. Galpin and W. Ridgeway Wilson.

THE CAPE RAILWAYS.

Being Rapidly Built and Some of Great Length.

The railway race to Johannesburg, in the great gold fields of Transvaal, South Africa, which has been going on between two companies, one building from Delagoa Bay and the other from Durban, in Natal, has ended in the completion of the first named and shorter line, the Netherlands and South African railway, which is an extension of the Delagoa Bay and East African railway, to Pretoria, on July 8. The distance is about 350 miles, while the competing line under construction from Durban, and to be finished in a few weeks, will be a little longer. The new road, like all South African railways, is of three-foot guage. The Johannesburg gold region was already reached by rail from Port Elizabeth, on the south coast, a distance of some 730 miles and from Cape Town by the long journey of 1,090 miles, but the completion of the direct line from the east coast will greatly facilitate development of the country, and increase the already enormous production of gold in South Africa. Several branches of this line are under construction into the gold fields.—Railway Age.

American News.

New York, Aug. 31.—At 10:15 a.m. the stock market opened strong and active. Tobacco received excellent support and improved 1¼ per cent. The gains in the general list are of a fractional nature. Opening prices: Atchison, 20⅝; sugar, 110⅝; distilling, 24¼; General Electric, 37⅝; Chicago Gas, 64¼; Burlington, 91; Rock Island, 83¾; St. Paul, 70¾; Louisville, 64.

New York, Aug. 31.—Steamer La Champagne, which sailed this morning, took $154,000 in United States gold coin.

PASSENGERS.

Per Steamer Charmer from Vancouver—Mrs Tingley and daughters, C F Todd, A L Ryals, R G Penn, Mrs Hawey, R W Cordon, Geo Mead, W D Roach, J F Joyce, J Kenney, F J Stukman, F G Christie, Miss Lamont, Capt Reverley, S Daw, C W Riley and wife, Mrs Dodman, W S Reiland and wife, John McDowell, R A Seaton, J C Scarlett, H Chapman, Dr Milne, Mrs Hunter, H F W Behnsen, G A Keefer, A G McCandless, J Gardiner, Miss Brown, Fray Water, H Pavelling and wife, J Shay, wife and daughter, H Samuels, H B Joyce, Miss Clark, J C Beedy.

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Per Steamer Charmer from Vancouver—J Meston, Armour & Co, McKilligan & A, Staff Surgeon, Langley & Co, R H Reeds, A C Martin, Jas Jenkins, T B Pearson, Col Ind Rev, Piercy & Co, Simon Leiser, F R Stewart, Weller Bros, C P Walker, C E Jones, A B Erskine, Turner B & Co, Cookson & Plows, A Reigerson, Blackie & McK, E J Saunderson-Martin & R, R Eccles, Thrope & Co, Wm Dalby, W Lough, C W Riley, Dom Exp Co.

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